Are you in it?
That is, have you an advertisement in the DAILY TIMES? If you haven't, why haven't you

Victoria Daily Times.

USE LONDON HOSPITAL COUCH CURE AT COCHRANE & MUNN'S

VOL. 16 VICTORIA, B. C., MONDAY, JANUARY 25, 1892. NO. 22

SPECIAL :-: BARGAINS:

Thirteen Lots on Cowan avenue and Richmond avenue for sale. All cleared and fenced, and good roads and water. Tram cars within 100 yards of property. Apply to

FRANCIS BOURCHIER
43 Government Street.

MORE NEW GOODS.
LADIES' AND GENTS'
CORK :-: SOLED
Lace, Button and Elastic Side Boots
— AT —
ERSKINE'S BOOT AND SHOE EMPORIUM
132 Government Street, corner Johnson

THE MANUFACTURING JEWELER OF THE CITY.

A. A. CLAYTON, 47 Government street, (the Diamond Palace), manufacturer of all kinds of Jewelry in the latest designs, including Pins, Brooches, Jersey Pins, Stick Pins, Bracelets, Cuff Buttons, Chains, Studs, Rings, Necklaces, etc., etc., in gold and silver. Importer and dealer in all the latest designs of Silverware. A choice selection always in stock. Optical goods in great variety, Opera, Field and Marine Glasses, Compasses, Thermometers, Pocket Torpedoes, Opera Glass Holders, etc. Elgin and Waltham Gold and Silver Watches in great variety.

NORTH BRITISH MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMP'Y
SPECIAL NOTICE.

Messrs. TURNER, BEETON & CO. are authorized to collect all renewal premiums upon policies covering property on the Island of Vancouver, to issue policies, and generally to transact all necessary business in connection with the Company's agency.

THOMAS DAVIDSON,
oc29-1m Managing Director in Canada.

NOTICE.

Having secured the services of Mr. J. Bland, an experienced first-class boot and shoe maker, lately in the employ of H. Mansell, we are now prepared to make boots and shoes to order in any style. Repairing done promptly and properly.

CAVIN BROS., 94 Douglas Street

Look up and down our list and see if there be anything you want.

OUR OWN PROPERTY.	LISTED PROPERTY.
HOUSES FOR SALE.	Lots, James Bay.
A 4-room house on Oak Bay avenue; full sized lot. All for $1050; $100 cash, balance on your own time. Easy enough.	Choice corner, Carr street.
	Cheap lot, Johnson street.
	Lots in Fernwood.
	Cheap lots, Spring Ridge.
An 8-room house on Oak Bay avenue; everything new and convenient. Price $3000. See this, it's a beauty.	Lots, Saanich road.
	Bargains in many localities.
	List your property with us and we find you a purchaser.
5-room house, $2100.	An acre for $1200.

Special | A 5-room house on car line, James Bay, for $1300. All new. Terms, $100 cash and $20 per month. | Special

YOUNG & BARTLETT

THE CHILEAN SITUATION.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE ON THE SUBJECT.

He Stands Up on his Demands That Chile Apologise and Make Reparation—Minister Egan the Subject of London Newspaper Criticism—Other Dispatches.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—President Harrison's message on the Chilean situation, accompanied by the documents, correspondence, etc., in the cabinet, was sent to Congress to-day. The President reviews all of the evidence in the case, and says he feels compelled to stand upon the demands of the note of the 21st inst. sent to Minister Egan. These demands are that the Chilean Government must apologize and make reparation for the assault on the Baltimore sailors on October 16th; that Matta's circular note of December 13th must be withdrawn and the language disavowed with as much publicity as it was circulated, or diplomatic relations with Chile will cease; that Mr. Egan's recall will not be considered until these matters have been disposed of. The President in stating his reasons for making these demands advised that they be confirmed and enforced by Congress.

A Woman, Brave and Famous.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Mme. DeBarios, the widow of the famous general, Justo Refino DeBarios, who was President of Guatemala, is entitled to a new distinction. She has long been known as one of the most beautiful women in New York society, and she will from now on be known as one of the bravest. Her claim to bravery rests on a little adventure which she had with a burglar just before daylight last Friday morning. Mme. DeBarios had been to the opera Thursday evening and had retired at rather a late hour. At a little after four o'clock she was startled from her sleep by the dim light of the night lamp. She saw a tall heavily built man. "Who are you?" said Mme. DeBarios in French. The burglar turned, muttered something under his breath, and started toward the bed. She grasped the handle of a bell rope which ran to the apartments of the men servants on the top floor, and pulled it vigorously. The alarm bell clanged loudly through the house and the burglar turned and ran for dear life down the stairs and out to the street. When the coachman and butler got down to the hall, the doors were swinging wide open and the thief had disappeared. The burglar went away as empty as he came. She modestly disclaims any credit for not screaming or fainting, and said she would not think of calling herself a brave woman. "But," said she, "I saw too many exciting events in the Guatemalan revolution to be afraid of a low rascal like that fellow." Mme. DeBarios has received many congratulations for her coolness.

War Fever.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Gen. G. W. Hyde, president of the Bath Iron Works' Ship Building Company was seen yesterday by a United Press representative at the Fifth avenue hotel. Gen. Hyde stated he had left Washington yesterday evening. He had been in conference with Secretary of the Navy Tracy. "I found as I left," said Gen. Hyde, "the war feeling running high. I am not at liberty to quote what I heard in certain high official circles of the Government, but I can say that the impression imparted was one that war was inevitable. It has become well nigh understood that the Chileans are blind to the result, that they are really anxious for war and the delay and the diplomatic dealings are simply inflaming these people. In my own mind I am firmly convinced that unless Chile promptly makes the proper apologies for the outrages committed, we will find a war on our hands in short order. There is not the slightest shadow of a backdown on the part of our Government. It is clearly a case for Chile to answer whether we make war or not." Gen. Hyde stated that he is now on his way back to Bath to hurry up the work on the three ships building at the Bath works. The gunboat Machias, he said, will be ready for service by July first, and gunboat No. 6 three weeks later. The American harbor defence ram will be ready for launching July 1st. Gunboat No. 6 could be launched to-day if deemed necessary.

Left a Fortune.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 24.—By a death which occurred shortly after noon to-day at Albert Lea, Minn., two young girls, not yet out of their teens, living on a farm in Dutchess county, N. Y., become heirs to more than $500,000. They are the second cousins and only heirs of Sanford Tanner, who died at the Albert Hotel, Albert Lea, at the age of seventy-five years. Tanner owned thousands of acres of land in three states and nearly $50,000 on deposit at the banks of Austin and Albert Lea. He lived alone for years making mortgage collections. Because of his wealth and eccentricities he was a mark for confidence men and in the past ten years this class of gentry have secured nearly $100,000 of the old miser's money. He was robbed of $20,000 all in one lump by a couple of rascals from Chicago in the winter of 1888. They came up to Austin about Christmas time, and learning that Tanner was going into the country to a party, asked and obtained consent to take him out on a sleigh. Instead, however, of doing as they agreed, they took him to a country saloon and at a revolver's point made him sign four checks for $5000 each. This done, they drove him far into the country and left him standing in the snow. Then, driving to the nearest station, they took a train back to Austin, got their checks cashed at the opening of the bank, dispersed and no trace of them has ever been found.

A New Chilean Vessel.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—A Washington special to the Sun says: "A startling piece of information has reached the Navy Department which adds to the seriousness of the situation. The agents of the department in Paris report that the Capitan Prat is not the only Chilian vessel preparing for sea at the French ship-yards, but that the cruiser Presidente Pinto is fitting out for service at the French Atlantic port, and that she is actually ready to sail. She corresponds to the Montgomery of our navy, or cruiser No. 11 built at the Harrison Loring Iron Works in South Boston, only that she is more formidable. She has an armament composed of canet rapid fire guns, and if she succeeds in getting away, she will make things lively in the Atlantic. She has a good speed and is altogether a machine of war to be feared. Her guns have not been mounted yet, but they are on the wharf and everything is in order for hasty sailing.

More Spreadeagleism.

OGDEN, Utah, Jan. 25.—Capt. Schley, of the U. S. steamer Baltimore, passed through Ogden Friday night on his way to Washington. "Chileans," he said, "have not the slightest conception of the power and magnitude of the United States. In their estimation they have a far better navy than we have. In my estimation, they have none. I would like to give them just one hour's brush and probably by that time they would materially change their opinion. The United States should treat Chile as an unruly child and spank it." Commenting on the findings of the Chilean court investigating the attack on the Baltimore sailors, he said: "I think it a peculiar law that a man can be summoned as a witness as Davidson was and then be recommended to ten or fifteen years' imprisonment for throwing a stone at a Chilean sailor in the act of stabbing one of our men."

A Fanatical Haligonian.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The World's Halifax, N.S., special says: Rev. H. F. Adams, in a temperance meeting last night, said that the army and navy were a curse to Halifax and did more to injure the social life of the city than any other element. He denounced the British officers as parasites who enjoyed the hospitality of the citizens and then laughed at them. He had never known an officer who was a Christian, not even the garrison chaplains. The private soldiers corrupted servant girls and the effect was that young citizens were compelled to go abroad for wives. Mr. Adam's speech caused a big sensation and a number of people left the building to express their indignation.

Million Dollar Christians.

PUEBLA, Colo., Jan. 24.—Episcopalians here are earnestly discussing a lecture delivered by Dean Keafer, of Colorado Springs, in the Church of the Ascension. All the clergy of his denomination in Puebla were present. The dean astonished his hearers by declaring that any man who had accumulated a million dollars was a thief. The church has several communicants worth more than a million, who have always been classed among honorable men and their friends and families are exceedingly indignant. The dean declared himself a socialist and called on all the clergy present to express their views, but none of them exactly coincided with the dean.

Dr. Graves' Case.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The Times' Denver, Colo., special says: The attorney for Dr. Graves claims that the supreme court must reverse the judgment against the doctor because of Judge Rising's instructions to the jury that it was not necessary that every link in the circumstantial evidence should be perfect and that a conviction could be returned if they thought the doctor was guilty. The attorneys quote a case where similar instructions, given to a jury in Colorado, caused the reversal of the judgment of the same court.

Whitelaw Reid Resigns.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—The Herald's Washington special says: It is reported to-night that Mr. Whitelaw Reid, U. S. Minister to France, has tendered his resignation for business reasons. The reasons are supposed to be that he desires to conduct his paper during the coming campaign. It is impossible to verify the rumor and his intimate friends here doubt its correctness.

Veterans Will Volunteer.

HAZELTON, Pa., Jan. 25.—An enquiry as to the number of residents hereabouts who have seen service in the armies of Europe, shows that within a radius of 10 miles there are some 14,000 ex-soldiers of whom 10,900 would gladly enlist in war against Chile.

NANAINO HAPPENINGS.

A Budget of News from the Black Diamond City.

NANAIMO, Jan. 25.—The case against Tully Boyce was brought before Mr. J. P. Planta, S.M., on Saturday evening. Several witnesses were called to prove the perjury, but as the defense had not produced the witnesses desired by the court, the magistrate decided to again adjourn the case until Saturday next. It is most probable that the case will be concluded before the assizes are held here in the spring.

BUSINESS CHANGES.

Mr. Bevielockway has taken possession of the store recently sold to him by A. Mayer & Co.

Mr. H. Forester is occupying the auction rooms recently held by E. W. Whiffin & Co., and no doubt he will build up a good business.

Messrs. Anderson & Inkster are fitting up the premises recently vacated by H. Marymont, and they are sure to meet with success.

Mr. J. Hilbert will shortly open up a gents' furnishing store in the building lately occupied by J. Schmidt.

FOOTBALL.

An interesting game of Association football took place between the Nanaimo Rangers and the Y. M. C. A. team. The Rangers scored four and the Y. M. C.A. two goals.

Carving sets at Fox's.

THE CABINET ORGANIZED.

THE NEW MINISTERS SWORN IN BY LORD STANLEY.

Chapleau Will be Sworn in To-Morrow—Rumors That Turned out Correct—Sir Adolphe Caron Postmaster-General Pro Tem—The New Ministers.

OTTAWA, Jan. 25.—Premier Abbott has at last reorganized his cabinet. At noon to-day Hon. MacKenzie Bowell and J. C. Patterson, in company with Mr. McGee, Clerk of the Privy Council, drove to Rideau Hall, and were sworn in in their offices by Lord Stanley. Mr. Bowell becomes Minister of Militia and J. C. Patterson becomes Secretary of State. Mr. McGee leaves for Montreal to-night and will swear in Mr. Chapleau there to-morrow as Minister of Customs. It is understood that Sir Adolphe Caron will for the present become Postmaster-General. As yet he has not been sworn into the position. His appointment, however, will be temporary. If the Deboucherville Government is sustained, then he will retire to Spencerwood, and Angers will become Postmaster-General. When Parliament next meets the Government will stand as follows, Premier and President of Council, Abbott; Public Works, Ouimet; Minister of Railways, Haggart; Minister of Militia, Bowell; Secretary of State, Patterson; Minister of Agriculture, Carling; Minister of Inland Revenue, Costigan; Minister of Customs, Chapleau; Postmaster-General, Caron; Interior, Dewdney; Finance, Foster; Marine and Fisheries, Tupper; Justice, Thompson; without portfolio, Frank Smith. Patterson has no constituency, while Carling and Smith are in the Senate.

Haggart, Bowell and Patterson left at noon for Lincoln. Haggart informed the TIMES correspondent that he intended meeting Preston at Kingston before election day. Foster was to go to speak in Kingston to-night, but owing to the illness of Mrs. Foster, was unable to leave. Mrs. Foster, who was seriously ill with la grippe, is now suffering from heart failure.

It is probable that Patterson will run in South Huron against M. C. Cameron. The combination is by no means a strong one, and if they give satisfaction to the Conservatives when the House meets, they are easily pleased.

Mr. Johnson, Commissioner of Customs, has been superannuated, and Mr. Parmelee, assistant commissioner, gets his place. Watters, accountant, now will be assistant commissioner, and also hold his present position.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.

The New Franchise Bill—Radical Changes—Body Found—Wounded, Etc.

Special to the TIMES.]

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 25.—A meeting was held Saturday night to hear Mr. Brown's bill re the franchise. The extension was unanimously adopted. The principal provisions are the election of aldermen for the whole city and not by wards; the placing of civic works in the hands of paid commissioners, and allowing every person to vote who has been a resident of the city for a short period and is in good standing. Mr. Brown will present the bill this session.

A man named Hall had an eye put out Saturday while breaking up old iron at his ranch near the city. The wound is painful but not dangerous. He was brought to the city for medical assistance.

Police here have been notified to look out for the Indian who murdered a man at Whatcom on Saturday. A reward of $750 is offered for his capture. He is supposed to be lurking in this neighborhood.

The body of the fireman who was drowned off the steamer Irving at the beginning of the month has been found. An inquest was held at Mission to-day.

McLean has gone over to Nanaimo to-day taking his skiff with him to look for matches.

VANCOUVER NOTES.

Fire at Mount Pleasant and Heavy Loss—A Horse Killed.

Special to the TIMES.]

VANCOUVER, Jan. 25.—A fire occurred last night at Mount Pleasant. Theodore Horrobin's house and effects were completely destroyed as the efforts of the firemen were ineffectual, there being no water works or tanks in that district. Horrobin and his wife had gone to church, and it is supposed the cat knocked the lamp over in the kitchen. Loss $4,000, with insurance of $2,000. The water works are not extended to that part yet.

A horse belonging to the Gurney Cab Co. was killed by a runaway which occasioned a fire alarm. It ran against a telegraph post, broke a leg and was shot.

Grand Duke Constantine Dead.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 25.—Grand Duke Constantine, uncle of the Czar, died to-day of paralysis.

A Palace Gutted.

BRUSSELS, Jan. 23.—The new palace of the Duke of Arenburg was totally gutted by fire at 2 this morning. The occupants barely escaped. The loss is enormous and in one way irreparable, as many historical relics, one 1000 years old, was destroyed. One fireman was killed.

Minister Egan and Son.

LONDON, Jan. 25.—The St. James' Gazette this afternoon referring to Chilean crisis says that much may be excused in a country which had an envoy of Patrick Egan's character thrust upon it, adding that "it would be difficult to suppose that either of these high spirited Republics really mean business.

The Pall Mall Gazette says: "It is difficult to understand why the United States harrasses Chille the way it is doing. The fact that Minister Egan's son is prosecuting Chile for revoking a railway concession throws a flood of light upon the subject.

Times' correspondent from Santiago: "It is understood that Chile will agree to submit all questions between that country and the United States to arbitration.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Steamer Walla Walla, from San Francisco last night, brought up 153 tons of freight for Victoria.

The British ship Glendavilan sailed from Port Townsend for Liverpool yesterday with 3243 tons of wheat valued at $100,000.

The whaleback steamer Wetmore, which grounded on Snohomish flats Friday last, has floated off all right and is at Seattle.

Schooner Venture was hauled on to Clarke's ways to-day for an overhaul, and to-morrow the Penelope will also be hauled out.

Bark City of Carlisle is nearly loaded. All her cargo of salmon is stowed away, and the wheat to fill up with is also mostly loaded.

Fishing steamer T. W. Carter left for port San Juan this afternoon. A larger crew of men for the fishing station is to be engaged at once and the business prosecuted vigorously.

The launch of Mr. Penny's schooner the Victoria, from Clarke's ways last week was peculiar on account of her being fully rigged before she was let into the water. This is sometimes done, but not usually, and is uncommon enough to be noticeable. The Victoria will be rapidly fitted out for sealing and from her model will be a fast sailer.

The first of the pontoons which are to be used in floating the steamer San Pedro, was launched yesterday. A liberal supply of beer was served out to the ship-carpenters who have been building the pontoons. Canadian and American flags flew over the vessel as it was let into the water. There are 24 more of the curious looking vessels to be launched, all of which are nearly complete and this week will see them in the water.

Dr. E. D. Conover, of Port Townsend, the government quarantine officer of Puget Sound has received instructions from the Department at Washington City to advertise for the purchase of a suitable barge, schooner or other vessel to be used for quarantine purpose. Upon the vessel being accepted by the government it is proposed to place steam disaffecting chambers, furnaces and tanks for holding disinfecting solutions upon it, and reserve space for the isolation of patients with contagious diseases.

Before the price of seal skins went down with such an emphatic drop, quite an effort was made by some of the owners of sealing vessels to get the services of first class hunters, and to do this high rates were offered to that particular class of men. In some instances as high as $4 per seal shot was offered, and several hunters signed articles at this rate. Now some of the owners are endeavoring to break the agreement, and are offering the hunters a "lay" or share in the catch if they will waive their claim of $4 per skin. This the hunters decline to do, and as they have legally shipped at that rate the owners will find it hard to get out of the contract unless they pay liberally. It is stated that an advantage of the clause in the articles in reference to going aboard when ordered, was construed to mean that if the owners did not like to send the vessels out the agreement would lapse, but legal opinion says otherwise. The articles must hold, so it seems the hunters will make the most of the profits out of those schooners where $4 per skin has been signed for.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

John Fee was very low yesterday.

C. L. Kirkland, of Westminster is in town.

Capt. W. H. Soule, of Vancouver, is in the city.

D. Oppenheimer, of Westminster, is in the city.

Capt. Ettershank returned from the Mainland last night.

E. A. Martin and wife, of Barkerville, are at the Oriental.

Capt. Clancy came over from the Mainland last night.

H. Abbott and J. A. Fullerton, of the C.P.R., are at the Driard.

W. J. Gallagher, of the Vancouver Telegram, is at the Driard.

Hon. Mr. Justice Walkem returned from the Mainland last evening.

Hon. Mr. Justice Drake is still confined to the house with la grippe.

Capt. and Mrs. Wise arrived from Seattle Saturday on the steamship Umatilla.

Maurice Salmon returned from San Francisco last night by the Walla Walla.

Jno. McColl, Chas. Wilson and E. A. Jenns, of Westminster, came down last night to attend the lawyers' dinner.

J. L. Raymur, city auditor, is laid up with an injured leg caused by a fall some days ago. He will be about again in a few days.

J. P. Geddes, A. E. Suckling, Geo. McL. Brown and Jos. Fagin, of the C. P.R., are in the city waiting for the Empress of India.

L. G. McPhillips, Jno. Campbell, Geo. M. Callender and J. A. Russell, of Vancouver, are in the city and will attend the lawyers' dinner to-night.

W. H. Goodwin, Provincial manager of Ontario Mutual Life Insurance Company is in the city. He has appointed E. E. Welch as agent of the company in Victoria and district, with offices over Bank of B. C. building.

OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

HOW THE TWO GREAT POLITICAL PARTIES STAND.

Three Bye-Elections Past Which Increases the Liberal Strength by One—All of Them Were Conservative Strongholds—The Contest in Glengarry.

From Our Own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 16.—Elections have taken place in three constituencies since the prorogation of Parliament. In North Lanark the Conservatives held their own, having captured the constituency through the gerrymander of 1892, and having elected their nominee ever since. No election was anticipated in the riding on the part of the Reformers and consequently they were not well prepared for a contest. On the other hand the Conservatives were aware that an election was to take place, that Mr. Jamieson was to be raised to the bench, and therefore they were not only active but also successful in adding a very much larger number of names to the voters list than were their opponents. The religious cry was raised against the Liberal candidate on the ground that he was a Roman Catholic, and the Orange Lodges worked with more than ordinary zeal to secure his defeat. They only succeeded in doing so in the polling subdivisions in which they were strong, and the corruption fund did its work elsewhere. All these things gave the Conservative candidate an increased majority when compared with the vote cast at the last general election. It was natural that the organs of the government, as well as the members of the administration, should feel jubilant, or at least

SIMULATE JUBILATION

over what they described an endorsation of their policy. They feared the verdict of the electors after the scandals of last session, and were more happy that the *tu quoque* argument—as exemplified in the abuse of Pacaud, whose sins they cast upon Mr. Mercier, whom they in turn held the Liberals responsible for—was a decided success. To enthuse over North Lanark in such a way as was done by the administration goes far to show how near the brink of the precipice, over which the government must soon fall, they were standing on. They could not even whistle to keep their courage up, and consequently to give themselves some heart to do so they opened North Lanark, gave Mr. Jamieson a judgeship and promoted Hon. John Haggart to the most important portfolio in the cabinet. They, like Benjamin Franklin, will discover that they have paid dear, very dear, indeed for their whistle. After North Lanark came Richelieu, where Sir Hector Langevin was returned at the last general election by a majority of over 300. The government opened this constituency in Quebec for exactly the same purpose as North Lanark was opened in Ontario—it was to give the government and their supporters there something to ever keep their courage up to a whistling point. What was the result? The government candidate was defeated by a handsome majority. More than 400 of a gain was made by the Liberals over the figures at the last general election. And what was the excuse given by the Tory organs? It was this: Hon. Thomas McGreevy, who is president of the Richelieu & Ontario Navigation Company, and who, of course, had large interests in Sorel, refused to help the Government by providing an ample boodle fund. A more extraordinary statement was never made on behalf of any party, and coming from such a respectable Conservative newspaper as the Montreal Gazette it is simply astounding. But it illustrates well the methods by which the Government has to keep their seats. The

LOSS OF RICHELIEU,

a Conservative stronghold, was a bad blow to the Government, more especially, following as it did the brief season of rejoicing which came after the increased majority in North Lanark. A large number of writs were issued in Ontario for the 28th of this month, but in all them, except two constituencies, Halton and Kingston, they were withdrawn for a later date. This goes to show that these two constituencies were considered alone save. An extraordinary attempt will therefore be made to carry both of these so that the others may be influenced thereby. In the meantime an election takes place in Glengarry. For more than ten years Mr. R. R. McLennan, who prefers being called major, has been nursing this constituency. Born and brought up in the county of poor but respectable parents he became popular as a young man for his great powers in Highland athletic sports, principally throwing the hammer and putting the stone. He still retains the honor of having the longest throw of the heavy hammer registered in his name, having defeated Mr. Donald Dinnie, the great Scottish athlete, on more than one occasion. I think Mr. McLennan made his longest throw in Buffalo. At a great gathering of the Scottish clans in Cornwall one day a lamentable incident happened which has prevented the present member for Glengarry ever since lifting a hammer in his hands. The announcement that the hammer contest was coming on, and that Rory—for everyone there is called by his first name, if not some other by-name, so as to dintinguish him from many others holding a similar name in the county of the Macks—the champion of the world and a Glengarry boy to boot was to give one of his long throws. The crowd thrust forward within the ropes, and it was with difficulty that the surging mass of humanity could be kept back sufficiently far from a point at which the heavy shot was expected to land. Those in charge of the sports imagined they were doing so, but, alas, they miscalculated the distance. Away goes the hammer, straight as an arrow, although the old, and rather dangerous, swing, in the hands of amateurs, was used in sending it, but it was little impeded in its force by striking a young girl in the head before touching mother earth, just a few feet in the front ranks of the crowd at the opposite end from where the hammer left the hands of Mr McLennan. The unfortunate girl's head was driven into a pulp. It was a sad ending of that day's sports. The corpse was tenderly borne from the field, followed by the

Continued on page 3.

NELSON

The Commercial Centre of the great Kootenay District.

The Terminus of any road from the south connecting with the American railway system. The Terminus and Headquarters of the Columbia & Kootenay Railway, now in operation.

EIGHT MILES ONLY from the great

SILVER KING MINE

And other valuable mines on Toad Mountain.

The point where the Bank of Montreal has established an agency, and the Bank of British Columbia will open a branch in the early Spring.

AN AUCTION SALE

Will be held by J. P. DAVIES & CO. on

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 16th, 1892

At noon, at Salesroom, Wharf street.

Lots in Subdivision 58a and 182, Group I.

TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS ($10,000.00) of the net proceeds of this Sale is guaranteed by the Nelson City Land and Improvement Company to be expended in improvements on their property.

Maps containing full particulars will be ready on 1st February.

JOSHUA DAVIES, - - - - Auctioneer.

WESTSIDE

CLEARANCE SALE

Opening To-morrow, Tuesday, January 5.

The following are a few of the Bargains offered this week:

25 in. Meltons, 30 cents, reduced to 15.

44 in. Scotch Home Spuns, 50 cents, reduced to 25.

44 in. all wool India Cashmeres, 75 and 80 cents, reduced to 40.

44 in. all wool French Cashmeres, 75 cts., reduced to 40

42 in. Diagonal Serges, 75 cents, reduced to 40.

44 in. all wool Scotch Tweeds, $1, reduced to 50 cents

44 in. all wool Scotch Fancy Tweeds, $1.25, reduced to 65 cents.

25 pcs. Fancy Trimming Velvets, $1.25 to $2.50 reduced to 50 cents.

20 pcs. Colored Velveteens, 75 cents, reduced to 35.

1500 yds. Colored Satins, 90 cents, $1 and $1.25, reduced to 50 cents.

A large line of Jackets, Coats, etc., etc., marked down about fifty per cent.

Some Fancy Goods, including Fans, etc., are put at a nominal price.

All straight and regular goods, neither damaged nor shop-worn, but must be sold to make room for Spring purchases.

COME EARLY.

JAS. HUTCHESON & CO.

NOTICE.

Storage of Coal Oil and Other Explosives.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN on behalf of the Victoria Board of Fire Underwriters that from and after March 1st, 1892, insurance on coal oil and other inflammable substances will be written only upon such quantities as permitted by municipal regulations. ja21-6t

C. F. MacKENZIE

CARPENTER & BUILDER

Workshop, 67 Douglas St.

Stores and offices fitted up. House repairs promptly attended to. j5-3m

TO INVESTORS, SETTLERS AND SPECULATORS:

To such we confidently commend the following properties, most of which, beyond all doubt, will prove splendid investments, sure to treble their present value in the very near future.

100 acres West Saanich road, 7 miles from city, cheap.
150 acres West Saanich road, 100 acres bottom land, 50 acres under crop.
100 acres West Saanich road, good house etc. garden, orchard, partly cleared.
250 acres West Saanich road, 100 bottom land cleared.
142 acres West Saanich road, half mile water front on Saanich Inlet, splendid fishing, shooting and boating.
100 acres West Saanich road, good house etc., 20 acres cleared, for sale or lease.
70 acres East Saanich road, good land.
100 acres East Saanich road, good land.
100 acres East Saanich road, good land.
50 acres East Saanich road, good land, partly cleared and fenced, with cottage and fruit trees.
4 farms at Cobble Hill.
1 farm close to Langford Station.
60 acres in 5 and 10 acre blocks, close to city limits, $400 and $500 per acre.
3 fine building lots, Grant St., Fernwood, only $1900, easy terms.
3 fine building lots Fowl Bay road, one minute from Cadboro and Oak Bay cars, $1400.

SNAPS:

For rent or sale, superior-built 5-roomed cottage, woodshed, etc. Lot 60x120. Splendid location for chicken raising.
Rent and sale, 4-roomed cottage, close to car; woodshed, etc. Price $1150; cash $150, balance $50 quarterly, at 7 per cent.
Rent, new cottage, Victoria West, $12 per month.
For rent, 1 house with stabling, Pembroke, off Blanchard street, $15 per month.
Splendid business opening (hotel) for party with $6000 cash.
Splendid business opening (grocery) for party with $4000 cash.

A. WILLIAMS & CO.

5 STORE STREET,

OPPOSITE RAILWAY DEPOT.

se2

STEAMBOATS.

HO! FOR THE EAST!!

The Upton Line of Steamships

GOOD PASSENGER ACCOMMODATION

$300!! $300!! $300!!

Round Trip to Yokohama, Kobe and Hongkong, good for six months, only $300, including all stop-over privileges, sailing monthly from Victoria.

THE SS. BATAVIA

Will clear from Victoria on

Thursday, 21st Inst.

Passengers are assured of every attention, comfort and civility while on board. For further particulars and every information apply to

F. C. DAVIDGE & CO., Agents,
131 Government street, Victoria, B.C. jy8

Puget Sound and Alaska Steamship Co.

TIME CARD.

STEAMSHIP CITY OF KINGSTON

VICTORIA ROUTE.

8:00 a.m.	*Lv	Tacoma	Ar	5:15 a.m.
10:15 a.m.	Lv	Seattle	Lv	3:00 a.m.
1:30 p.m.	Lv	Pt Towns'd	Lv	12:00 p.m.
4:30 p.m.	Ar	Victoria	Lv	8:30 p.m.

STEAMSHIP CITY OF SEATTLE.

WHATCOM ROUTE.

6:45 p.m.	†Lv	Tacoma	Ar	4:20 p.m.
9:00 p.m.	Lv	Seattle	Lv	2:30 p.m.
12:15 a.m.	Lv	Pt Towns'd	Lv	11:30 a.m.
2:45 a.m.	Lv	Anacortes	Lv	9:15 a.m.
6:45 a.m.	Ar	Fairhaven	Lv	8:00 a.m.
6:15 a.m.	Ar	Sehome	Lv	7:30 a.m.
4:30 a.m.	Ar	Whatcom	Lv*	6:00 a.m.

SNOHOMISH RIVER ROUTE.

6:45 p.m.	†Lv	Tacoma	Ar	6:00 p.m.
7:00 a.m.	*Lv	Seattle	Ar	2:00 p.m.
8:45 a.m.	Lv	Edmonds	Lv	12:30 p.m.
10:30 a.m.	Lv	Muckilteo	Lv	10:45 a.m.
12:00 m.	Lv	Marysville	Lv	9:30 a.m.
2:00 p.m.	Lv	Lowell	Lv	8:00 a.m.
3:00 p.m.	Ar	Snohomish	Lv*	7:00 a.m.

STEAMER EDITH.

PORT TOWNSEND (MAIL) ROUTE.

11:00 p.m.	†Lv	Seattle	Ar	5:00 p.m.
.....		Kingston	Lv	.....
12:30 a.m.	Lv	Pt Madison	Lv	4:10 p.m.
3:00 a.m.	Lv	Pt Gamble	Lv	1:00 p.m.
4:00 a.m.	Lv	Pt Ludlow	Lv	12:00 m.
6:00 a.m.	Ar	Pt Towns'd	Lv‡	10:00 a.m.

*Daily except Sunday. †Daily except Saturday ‡Daily except Monday.

For further information apply to
G. G. CHANDLER,
ja18 G. F. & P. A., Tacoma, Wash.

PACIFIC COAST S. S. CO'Y

Dispatch a steamer

Every 7 days for San Francisco

Carrying Her Majesty's Mails.

FROM OUTER WHARF AT 11 A.M.

Umatilla - - - - - - January 30

R. P. RITHET & CO., Agents.

THE OCEANIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY

CARRYING UNITED States, Hawaiian and Colonial mails, will leave the Company's wharf, foot Folsom street,

FOR HONOLULU

S.S. AUSTRALIA (3,000 tons) Saturday, Feb. 20, 1892, 2 p.m.

For Honolulu, Auckland and Sydney, Without Change.

The Splendid New 3,000 ton Iron Steamer
Alameda ....THURSDAY, Feb. 4th, 1892, 3 p.m.
Or immediately on arrival of the English mails

For freight or passage apply at office, 327 Market street, San Francisco.

JOHN D. SPRECKELS & BROS.
nov28 General Agents.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

STEAMER

ISABEL

J. E. BUTLER, Master.

On and after November 19th, '89,

Until further notice,

The Steamer ISABEL will sail as follows:

CALLING AT WAY PORTS:

Leave Victoria for Nanaimo.....Tuesday, 5 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Comox.....Wednesday, 7 a.m.
" Comox for Nanaimo.....Friday, 7 a.m.
" Nanaimo for Victoria.....Saturday 7 a.m.

For freight or passage apply on board. oct7

CANADIAN PACIFIC NAVIGATION CO.,

(LIMITED.)

TIME TABLE No. 16,

Taking effect Jan. 15, 1892.

Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver daily, except Monday, at 2 o'clock, a.m.

Vancouver to Victoria daily, except Monday, at 12 o'clock, or on arrival of C.P.R. No. 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island, Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P.R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)

For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.

LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria, Monday at 13 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock

Northern Route.

Steamships of this Co. will leave for Ft. Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.

Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound ports on the 27th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

G. A. CARLETON, General Agent. JOHN IRVING, Manager.

GUARANTEED!

The Best Cigars in the Market.

INVINCIBLE SPOTS

RIALTO

PEG-TOP and L.O.C.

L. O. GROTHE & CO.

MONTREAL. 12" 17

RAILWAYS.

ESQUIMALT & NANAIMO RAILWAY.

TIME TABLE NO. 15.

To take effect at 8.00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 20th, 1891.

Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING SOUTH. HEAD UP.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	No. 3 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	Miles from Wellington.	STATIONS.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	No. 4 Passenger Sat. and Sun.	Miles from Victoria.	GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.
	Ar. 12.24 P M	Ar. 5.58 P M	78	VICTORIA	Do. 8.00 A M	Do. 2.30 P M		
	" 12.30	5.54	77	RUSSELLS	Do. 8.04	2.34	1	
	" 12.10	5.44	74	CODFISH	" 8.14	2.44	4	
	" 11.45 A M	5.10	68	COQUITLAM	" 8.39	3.09	11	
	10.50	4.24	57	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	" 9.24	4.14	26	
	10.40	4.14	55	COBBLE HILL	" 9.34	4.24	31	
	10.27	3.59	52	McPHERSON'S	" 9.44	4.39	35	
	10.17	3.44	49	KOKSILAH	" 9.57	4.54	40	
	10.07	3.34	46	DUNCAN'S	" 10.07	4.64	46	
	9.36	3.15	41	SOMENOS	" 10.17	4.54	52	
	8.34	2.14		CHEMAINUS	" 10.45	6.16		
	Do. 8.25			NANAIMO	Ar. 11.50			6.14
	Ar. 8.10	Do. 1.30		WELLINGTON	Do. 11.50			Ar. 6.09
					Ar. 12.10 P M			

ON SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS

Return Tickets will be issued between all points for a single fare, good for return not later than Monday.

Return Tickets for one and a half ordinary fare may be purchased daily to all points, good for three days, including day of issue.

No Return Tickets issued for a single fare, where such fare is twenty-five cents.

Through rates between Victoria and Comox

A. DUNSMUIR, President. JOSEPH HUNTER, Gen'l Supt
H. K. PRIOR, Gen. Freight and Passenger Agen
oct1

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY.

—THE—

HIGHWAY OF THE WORLD.

DAILY THROUGH TRAINS

—TO ALL—

EASTERN POINTS,

$5 and $10 cheaper than by any other line. Passengers booked to and from all

EUROPEAN POINTS

Tickets now on sale for

ROUND THE WORLD EXCURSIONS,

Good to go in either direction.

For time tables and full information apply to

D. E. BROWN,
Asst. Gen. Fgt. & Pass. Agt.,
ALLAN CAMERON, Vancouver, B.C.
Fgt. & Pass. Agent.
Corner Government and Fort sts.,
Victoria, B.C. au14

FROM TERMINAL OR INTERIOR POINTS

— THE —

Northern Pacific

RAILROAD

Is the line to take

TO ALL POINTS EAST AND SOUTH.

It is the Dining Car Route.

It runs Through Vestibuled Trains

Every day in the year to St. Paul and Chicago (no change of cars) composed of

DINING CARS, unsurpassed,

PULLMAN DRAWING ROOM SLEEPERS, of latest equipment,

TOURIST SLEEPING CARS, best that can be constructed, and in which accommodations are Free to holders of First or Second-class Tickets, and

—— ELEGANT DAY COACHES. ——

A Continuous Line connecting with all lines affording direct and uninterrupted service.

Pullman Sleeper reservation can be secured in advance through any agent of the road.

THROUGH TICKETS

To and from all points in America, England and Europe, can be purchased at any ticket office of this Company.

Full information concerning rates, time of trains, routes and other details furnished on application to any agent, or

A. D. CHARLTON,
Asst. Gen. Pass. Agent,
121 First St. cor Washington, Portland Or

G. G. CHANDLER,
General Agent,
Headquarters Building, Tacoma, Wash.

E. E. BLACKWOOD
Freight and Passenger Agent.
jan Victoria B. C

QUICK TIME!!!

TO SAN FRANCISCO

—— AND ——

ALL POINTS IN CALIFORNIA,

Via the Mt Shasta Route of the

Southern Pacific Company

The Great Highway through California to all points East and South.

Grand Scenic Route of the Pacific Coast

PULLMAN BUFFET SLEEPERS.

Pullman Tourist Sleeping Cars

Attached to EXPRESS TRAINS, affording superior accommodations for SECOND CLASS Passengers.

For rates, tickets, sleeping car reservations etc., call upon or address

THOS. J. GRAHAM
Dist. Pass. Agent
No. 110 South 10th St., Tacoma, Wash

E. P. ROGERS
Asst. Gen. Fgt. and Pass. Agt.

SEALERS' OUTFITS
GOOD VALUE

Oilskins
Pea Jackets
Leather Coats
Blankets

B. WILLIAMS & CO.
97 JOHNSON STREET.
SIX PAIRS HEAVY WOOL SOCKS FOR $1.00

Heavy Underwear
Blue Jerseys
Heavy Top Shirts
Cardigan Jackets

SEALERS' OUTFITS
LOW PRICES

OUR OTTAWA LETTER.

(Continued from page 2.)

weeping relatives, to the late home of deceased. Rory accompanied them with a full heart, his big yet withal perfect and shapely, frame shaking like a willow tree and an hour afterwards he was found at the hotel in his room weeping like a child. That was

RORY'S LAST THROW.

Although no fault of his, he did all that he could then and afterwards to make more comfortable the position of deceased's parents. In the days I refer to Mr. McLennan and all his brothers as well as his father, were staunch Reformers. Big Rory then went into contracting, or rather sub-contracting, saving a little money on the different works on which he was engaged. He was among those sub-contractors who took a haul out of Section B. Then Mr. McLennan's political feelings began to undergo a change. The old Reformer saw reasons for talking Conservative, and before his next and largest contract, that of the Michipicotin section of the C.P.R., north of Lake Superior, was completed he was a full blown Tory. He made a large amount of money out of this work and has since devoted his whole time to getting into Parliament. He started a newspaper in Alexandria, the principal town in Glengarry, for the purpose of booming himself, and later on he merged a Conservative newspaper and an Independent into one in the town of Cornwall, and this has been a personal organ of his own ever since. He also opened a bank in Glengarry and loaned out money to farmers on mortgages. Twice he ran for the Ontario Legislature, and both times was defeated. The late Mr. Pat Purcell, the millionaire, who had half the county mortgaged, defeated Mr. McLennan in 1887 for the House of Commons. At the last general election Mr. Purcell gave up the field to big Rory, who got returned by a little over 300 majority. At the by-election this week he was returned again by a majority equally large. This was an occasion for special rejoicing on the part of the Government. It was a little balm for

THEIR SMITTEN HEARTS

after the defeat in Richelieu. But from what I have fairly and impartially shown what does the election in Glengarry signify from a political standpoint? Simply nothing. Pat Purcell, if he were alive, could have carried the county either as a Grit or a Tory. Rory McLennan can turn Grit to-morrow, run the election over again, and his majority will be increased. The election was a victory for Major McLennan and for nobody else. Take his money bags away from him and he would be no where in the race. It is not so much a stigma against the stalwart Scotchmen of Glengary, many of whose forefathers were U. E. Loyalists, that this can be said but rather a pity that the descendants of such brave men should have been driven through a policy of high taxation, which has robbed them of so much annually, to make combinsters and Government contractors rich, to seek the aid of the money lender by hanging mortgages like millstones around their necks, to prevent their being compelled to quit the old homestead. Once the Scotchman has sold his franchise, I mea temporarily, he will vote in that direction. It is a favorite expression of his to say that his word is his bond, and as he has given his word that he will vote for a Tory he will carry it out even against the dictates of conscience. That is according to the old notions, which still prevail in Glengarry. Nevertheless it is a mistaken idea. Better, if you are compelled to do so, that you should break a promise, which never should be asked of you, than that you should add to that wrong-doing which not only affects yourself personally but materially injures your neighbors. The political morality which I should preach and endeavor to teach to all such electors, who were placed as the Glengarians were towards Mr. McLennan, would be, if they had to do so, to take the mortgage or the loan as the case might be under the best possible circumstances it could be secured, and then go to the polls and

VOTE FOR POLITICAL PRINCIPLES

that will prevent men from becoming suddenly rich, through Government contractors and combinsters by the impoverishment of the great mass of people. If the farmers of Glengarry were not robbed by an iniquitous system of taxation to bolster up the present administration there would be no need of them applying to the money lender. The buyer of the people's franchises is the principal sinner, and the man who promises to sell under pressure, would best defeat the machinations of the boodler by voting against him. The interest on the mortgage is sufficient payment for the obligation. The elector does not get his vote for the purpose of selling it. During the memorable campaign in Midlothian, when Mr. Gladstone first redeemed the constituency from the house of Buccleugh, the canvassers' books for the Earl of Dalkieth showed a majority of nearly 400 for the re-election of the Earl after a house to house canvas. The loss of the constituency, from where Mr. Gladstone spoke to the country, meant very much more than the loss of the seat. It was a stronghold of conservatism. The canvas was therefore conducted not only energetically but in a pains taking manner. The doubtful column in the pass books was liberally contributed to and the bets were freely given and as freely taken that the Conservative would win. I had the pleasure of enjoying a trip through the constituency on that memorable occasion, being absent from Canada for a brief period. The late Mr. Russell, one of the greatest editors that ever lived, was then chief editor of the Scotsman, which was spoken of for some time afterwards as the Gladstonian by the British daily papers, so earnest and vigorous was the part this great daily played in this campaign, which resulted not only in redeeming Edinburgh (Midlothian) county but the country. Mr. Russell knew

THE TERRIBLE EFFORTS

that were being put forth to win the country; he knew that the Buccleugh estate covered a large portion of the county; that the farmers on that estate were being pressed anxiously to support the Earl of Dalkeith, son of the Duke of Buccleugh; that their leases would not be renewed if they did not do so; that the great family in question who willing to sell Granton Harbor, which they owned, if that would retain for them the seat; that the town of Dalkeith, the home of the duke and earl, was virtually owned by them, and knowing all this day after day his ponderous and ably written articles were directed to the electors, instructing them to vote for the political principles which they believed in no matter what pledges they gave to the Earl of Dalkeith. When the ballot was counted, despite all these promises and pledges, despite hundreds of fagot votes, the people's William headed the polls by a good majority. Had these who promised and were pledged to vote for the earl done so, he would then be elected, and continue to hold the seat until this day. The ballot was made secret so that tyranny could be foiled. The good old book tells us that there were hundreds of men who bowed not the knee to Baal, although seemingly they did so, and if the Canadian elector cannot resist the temptation of money, owing to the extreme want of it or for some other cause, or if he is threatened by those over him to vote in a given direction, let him by no means magnify the offence by marking his ballot against his political convictions.

COMING CONTESTS.

The contest in Kingston, notwithstanding the large majority given for Sir John Macdonald at the last election, promises to look well for the Liberals, but in Halton Mr. George Waldie, the Liberal nominee, refuses to run, and consequently this complicates matters. A Patron of Industry is also in the field, no doubt set up to draw votes from the Liberal, and therefore the likelihood is that Mr. Henders, Conservative, and the unseated candidate, will again be elected. Mr. Blake is still spoken of for Welland, and Mr. Gibson is making a plucky fight in Lincoln. Prince Edward county will certainly be captured by Dr. Platt, who lost it by a very small majority at the general election. Lennox, where Mr. Allison, Liberal, and Mr Wilson, Conservative, are again in the ring, to use a sporting phrase, ought to continue in favor of unrestricted reciprocity, since it is a border county. Mr. Barron will hold his own against Mr. Hughes in North Victoria, and Mr. Walters, who was only defeated by some twenty-five votes at the last election in South Victoria, is more than likely to win this time. Dr. Spohn was one of the new men who made a name for himself last session, and East Simcoe will again return him. In East Bruce Mr. Truax will as a certainty win. In Laval Col. Ouimet will be opposed, and although the fight will be a bitter one, having some of his old friends against him on the dismissal of Mercier at the instigation of Mr. Abbott, the portfolio of Public work will be enough to carry him through. Everywhere the Liberals are full of hope and enthusiasm, whatever the result may be.

SEABTOWN.

Does Protection Protect?

Certainly, in one instance, it does. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great protection against the dangers of impure blood, and it will cure or prevent all diseases of this class. It has well won its name of the best blood purifier by its many remarkable cures.

The highest praise has been won by Hood's Pills for their easy yet efficient action. Sold by all druggists. Price 25 cents per box.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—Miss Mansfield, E A Jenns, J Merrimont, N McQuinn, Mrs Butt, B T Rogers, C A Munagret, Jamieson, Geo McL Brown, R King, G Englalke, James P Leithead, Miss Munro, H Gross, E J O'Sullivan, J T Beach, C H Granston, S Henderson, E N M Wood, J M McColl, W J Gallagher, J A Fullerton, Mrs Martin, P Turner, A H Sauel, J P Jeddes, R Robinson, A McAngus, Chas Wilson, Miss Rogers, Mrs Galt, Miss Tite, Miss White, G F Cleveland, Mrs Gronston, Mrs S Towle, L Davies, E L Kirkland, Peter Roy, Capt Ethershanks, H Abbott, A E Hewett, Martin, A E Suckling, Jos Fagin, J A Ginna, D Oppenheimer, Capt Clancey, G Hobson, J Thompson, W C Cunningham, H Galbraith, John Butt.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer Islander from Vancouver—E U Mutch, A McCullum, Cunningham Bros, E Wagg, Russell Macdonald & Co, Schl H & E, Dom Ex Co, Ellis & Co, Langley & Co, Lenz & Leiser, E G Prior & Co, D Spencer & Co, Jno Barnsley & Co, Weller Br s, B Gordon, Jno Partridge, Thos Adair, Jno Clarke, Bank of Canada, Ames Holden & Co, Hudson Bay Co, J D Marsden.

Mothers

Castoria is recommended by physicians for children teething. It is a purely vegetable preparation, its ingredients are published around each bottle. It is pleasant to the taste and absolutely harmless. It relieves constipation, regulates the bowels, quiets pain, cures diarrhœa and wind colic, allays feverishness, destroys worms, and prevents convulsions, soothes the child and gives it refreshing and natural sleep. Castoria is the children's panacea—the mothers' friend. 35 doses, 35 cents.

Her Face Her Fortune,

Is commonly said of famous beauties. She who uses with artistic taste Wisdom's Famous Robertine has fortune in the possessing of a complexion to which nothing but the blush of the rose or the freshness of the lily can be compared. This preparation is just what it is claimed to be—the most delightful toilet article and only perfect beautifier known. Read the testimonials from famous artists, celebrated chemists and eminent physicians. D. E. Campbell, agent.

$5.00.

Save one dollar and sign for Williams' Official Directory edition 1892 for $4.00, payable on delivery of book. Advertisers are advised to hasten their orders for this valuable medium. P.O. box 485, Victoria, B.C. mws

Artistic linen and silk lamp shades at Weller Bros, 51 o 55 Fort street.

Collector Disappeared.

Capt. N. S. Pierce, collector of internal revenue for Portland, has disappeared. He has not been seen since January 5th. His accounts are all straight, and it is feared he has been murdered. He had about $200 with him when he left Portland to go on an inspection trip. He was a high member of the K. of P.

Mental worry, over-work and excesses are the fruitful causes of insanity. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are an unfailing remedy, building anew the blood and restoring wasted energies. Good for men and women.

Fresh crumpets daily at Henry Clay's, 39 Fort street.

REDUCTION IN PRICE OF MILK

Why pay such extravagant prices for Milk and Cream, when by diluting HIGHLAND BRAND EVAPORATED CREAM you can obtain a much more delicious article for use on on the table or in the kitchen for less money. It has no equal as an INFANTS' FOOD. Ask your grocer for it.

THE IMPERIAL BAKING POWDER
PUREST, STRONGEST, BEST.
Contains no Alum, Ammonia, Lime, Phosphates, or any Injurious.
E. W. GILLETT, Toronto, Ont.

We have only
20 DAYS
more to reduce our stock before MR. HORNER takes over the business.
As space forbids we shall only quote a few lines:

15 yds Canton Flannel	$1.00
10 yds Brown Holland	1.00
20 yds Unbleached Cotton	1.00
16 yds White Cotton	1.00
12 yds White Cotton, 1 yd wide,	1.00
10 yds White Cotton, very good,	1.00
10 yds Heavy Ticking	1.00
12 yds Print	1.00
10 yds Best Print	1.00
8 yds Scotch Zephyr Gingham	1.00
8 yds Heavy Oxford Sheeting	1.00
2 yd wide Unbleached Sheeting, per yd	20
White Blankets (single beds), pair	2.50
Grey Blankets (single beds), pair	2.50

20 PER CENT. DISCOUNT
on all our Ladies' and Gents' Underwear.
Stacks of Remnants of all classes of goods at cost.

Argyle House
Clarence Hotel Block,
83 DOUGLAS ST.
WM. O'REILLY & CO.
Store closes at 6 p.m., except Saturday

VICTORIA ROLLER FLOUR MILLS
Self-Raising Patent Flour
Manufactured by the Hungarian Roller Process from the best Manitoba Hard Wheat for
BREAD, BISCUITS, PASTRY, ETC.,
Prepared on scientific chemical principles, and no deleterious substance used in its manufacture.
For the Housekeeper, Sportsman, Rancher, Mining Camp or Seafaring man it is an invaluable article for producing in a few minutes wholesome Bread, Biscuits, Cakes, etc. Only Cold Water is needed to be added, and, for convenience and wholesomeness,
IT -:- CANNOT -:- BE -:- SURPASSED.
a18-tf

MEDICAL.

THE CELEBRATED FRENCH CURE
Warranted to cure "APHRODITINE" or money refunded.
Is SOLD ON A POSITIVE GUARANTEE

to cure any form of nervous disease, or disorder of the generative organs, whether arising from the excessive use of Stimulants, Tobacco or Opium, or through Indiscretion, etc., such as Loss of Brain Power, Wakefulness, Bearing down Pains in the Back, Hysteria, Nervous Prostration, Leucorrhœa, Dizziness, Weak Memory, Loss of Power, which if neglected often lead to premature old age and insanity. Price $1.00 a box, 6 boxes for $5.00.
A WRITTEN GUARANTEE for every $5.00 order, to refund the money if a Permanent cure is not effected. Thousands of testimonials from old and young, of both sexes, permanently cured by APHRODITINE. Circular free. Address
THE APHRO MEDICINE CO.
WESTERN BRANCH,
Box 27. PORTLAND, OR.
SOLD BY COCHRANE & MUNN, Druggists, Corner of Yates and Douglas streets,
au29 Sole Wholesale Agents, Victoria.

I AM A MAN

"I have been treated by doctors, who had long lists of so-called cured patients, but they could not reach my case, and hope had been murdered in me by fair promises, but on first application of your magical appliance, hope and confidence came flocking in stronger than the combined powers of the four winds. I knew then that you would cure me, and now that I am a man and well again, I cannot thank you sufficiently for the cure. So again I say, use my name as reference whenever you wish. You nor any one else cannot use words too strong to express my sentiments in favor of so wonderful a treatment as that given by you."
(Original on file; name of writer furnished in confidence.)

WEAK MEN
Easily, Quickly, Permanently Restored.
Weakness, Nervousness, Debility, and all the train of evils from early errors or later excesses, the results of overwork, sickness, worry, &c. Full strength, development and tone given to every organ and portion of the body. Simple, natural methods. Immediate improvement seen. Failure impossible. 3,000 references. Book, explanations and proofs mailed (sealed) free. Address
ERIE MEDICAL CO.,
BUFFALO, N.Y

THE JAPANESE BAZAAR
Large Parcel of Goods Received Too Late for Christmas Trade.
Special Prices, for One Month.
Ten per cent. Discount off all Purchases of One Dollar and Upwards
FOR CASH.
T. S. FUTCHER,
IMPORTER AND RETAILER,
41 FORT STREET, VICTORIA, B.C.

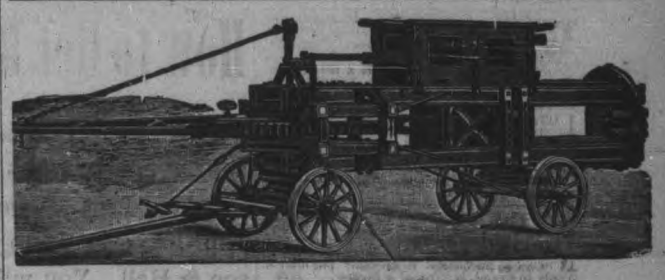
CHANGE IN THE BUSINESS.
SELLING OFF
Jackets and Mantles, Children's Ulsters, Reefers, etc., at less than half value.
STEVENS & JENKINS, DOUGLAS ST.
ja16-2w

HOME, SWEET HOME.
Keep your Boys and Girls in the Province by patronizing
HOME INDUSTRIES.
PENDRAY'S
Washing Powders, Paper Boxes,
Blacking, Vinegars, Black Lead and Soap
Give ewployment in our factories and circulate money where it is earned.
PENDRAY'S--THE PIONEER
Established 1874.

VICTORIA RICE MILLS
Store street, Victoria, B. C.
Millers of China and Japan Rice
RICE MEAL,
Rice Flour, Chit Rice, Etc.
VICTORIA
ROLLER FLOUR MILL
Delta Brand Family Flour,
Superfine Flour Bran and Shorts
No. 64 & 66 Store St. Victoria.

Houses to rent | BROKERS | Land for sale
Morrow, Holland & Co.
44 BROAD STREET.
MONEY TO LOAN. RENTS AND INTEREST COLLECTED.
AGENTS FOR
Manufacturers' Life and Accident Insurance Company
Lancashire Fire Insurance Company.

KASLO CITY
The Centre of the Great Kootenay Mining District in B.C.
This young and thriving City is situated on Kootenay Lake at the mouth of Kaslo River, within close proximity to the famous Kaslo and Slocan mines.
The discoveries during the present year of numerous mines of remarkably rich ore and great width on Kaslo river and east of Slocan Lake are well known to the public. They have attracted the attention of capitalists and miners all over the continent, and there is no question that these mines, which are tributary to KASLO CITY, will receive more attention than those of any other section of Kootenay.
A spacious hotel has been built for the accommodation of travelers. Stores and other buildings have also been erected. The townsite is being cleared and streets graded so as to forward the large amount of building that will be in progress as soon as material is secured for construction. A trail has been built to the mines, which will be replaced by a wagon road as soon as the work can be prosecuted. The grade to the mines is an easy one. An application for a charter to build a railway line into the mines from Kaslo will be made at the coming session of the Legislature. Everything is being done that circumstances will permit to give easy access to the mines and furnish supplies for the miners. KASLO CITY will have a large population this summer. It will become the supply depot for the richest mining section yet discovered in British Columbia. Unlike many mountain towns, it is most favorably situated on a gentle slope from the waters of a sheltered bay on Kootenay Lake, and is supplied for domestic and manufacturing purposes, by a large stream of pure cold water.
If you wish to participate in the profits that enchanced values will bring, don't fail to invest in Kaslo City. Lots are on sale at the offices of all the Leading Real Estate Brokers in the Province.
IRVING & HAYWOOD, - - GENERAL AGENTS
WILLIAMS' BUILDING, BROAD STREET, VICTORIA.
Call or send for further particulars.


THE ABOVE CUT SHOWS
ROBINSON'S PATENT REVERSIBLE SWEEP LEVER PERPETUAL PRESS
With Patent Double Condensing Hopper.
NICHOLLES & RENOUF, 61 Yates St., Victoria,
Send for Circulars and Price Lists. SOLE AGENTS for British Columbia

BANK OF MONTREAL
Established in 1817. Incorporated by Act of Parliament.
CAPITAL ALL PAID UP.....$12,000,000
RESERVE FUND.....6,000,000
UNDIVIDED PROFITS.....506,371
HEAD OFFICE, - - MONTREAL.
SIR DONALD A. SMITH, PRESIDENT. HON. GEO. A. DRUMMOND, VICE-PRESIDENT.
E. S. CLOUSTON, GENERAL MANAGER.
Branches and Correspondents in all the leading Cities of the World.
Victoria Branch: Corner Bastion and Government Streets.
EVERY DESCRIPTION OF BANKING BUSINESS TRANSACTED.
Savings Bank Department.—Deposits of $4.00 and upwards received, and interest allowed at the highest current rates.
NELSON, KOOTENAY DISTRICT, B.C.
A branch of the Bank at this point is now ready for business.
A. J. C. GALLETLY, Manager.

"THE GLOBE"
Oyster and Chop House
42 YATES ST., VICTORIA.
OPEN DAY AND NIGHT.
VINCENT & HOLBROOK, Proprietors.

FRENCH LAUNDRY
23 VIEW STREET.
M. P. CASTERAN begs to inform the public that he has opened a Laundry at the above address for the cleaning of all kinds of wearing apparel. He undertakes to give entire satisfaction. A trial solicited. de24-1m

FOR SALE
ON THE FRASER RIVER,
160 ACRES.
Good land, in Township 14, New Westminster District. For further particulars apply to
D. W. SUTHERLAND,
jy13-tf Mt. Lehman, B.C.

TENDERS
FOR CERTAIN
ALTERATIONS AND REPAIRS
at the Central School, and for a
FRAME SHED, 110x40,
in the School Grounds, will be received by the undersigned until
4 P.M. TUESDAY, THE 26TH INSTANT.
EDWD. MALLANDAINE, Sr.,
ja20-td Architect.

MRS. McGREGOR,
MID-WIFE
Has Diploma from the University of Edinburgh.
RESIDENCE:
Corner Douglas and Cormorant Streets.
feb8tf

A. MAXWELL MUIR,
ARCHITECT,
Rooms 3 and 13, - - - Turner Block.
a9tf

WANTS.

ADVERTISEMENTS of To Let, Wanted Etc., under these heads, four lines or under 50 cents for two insertions and 25 cents each additional insertion. Cash to accompany order.

SERVANT—A competent general servant wanted at 74 Kane street. Mrs. E. J. Palmer. ja23-5t.

WANTED—A good general servant. Washing out out. Apply 90 Menzie street between 6 and 8 p. m. ja23-tf.

WANTED—Houses renting less than $20 per month for good tenants. Apply Crane, McGregor & Boggs. ja23-tf.

WANTED—A competent woman or girl to do general housework. Apply at 283 Douglas street. ja22-6t

WANTED—Children to board and care for, terms moderate. Address box E. N. TIMES. dec31-1m

WANTED—A house to rent, with three bedrooms, with modern conveniences and conveniently situated. Address, stating rental expected, A.B.C. TIMES Office.

TO LET.

TO LET—New and exceptionally well-built cottage on Rithet street, James Bay, containing five rooms, bathroom, etc. Apply to J. Paterson, 35 Johnson street. j25-3t

FURNISHED ROOM TO LET—Centrally located. Private house, all conveniences. Terms low. References required. Address Z, box 652, post office, City. j25-tf

TO LET—Furnished room suitable for two; board if desired. Apply 10 Blanchard street. ja14-tf

TO LET—Pleasant offices in Williams building, rent $15 per month. Apply to Crane, McGregor & Boggs. ja20

SEVEN-ROOMED HOUSE, Bellot street, rent $21 per month. Apply to Crane, McGregor & Boggs. ja20

TO LET—House, James Bay, $20 per month. Apply Crane, McGregor & Boggs. no28

TO LET—House, 9 rooms, Belcher avenue, Rent $25 per month. Crane, McGregor and Boggs. nov2

TO LET—Two or three rooms furnished for light housekeeping, in centre of city. Also small furnished room to let, cheap. Apply at 25 Pandora street. ja8-tf

TO RENT OR SELL—Houses in Victoria West. Apply, G. J. Cook, Contractor, P.O. Box 799. jan5-1m

FURNISHED ROOMS—The best furnished and situated rooms in town at 255 Fort street. ja4-1m

TO LET—New 10-room house, James Bay; rent $25 per month. Apply to Crane, McGregor & Boggs. de17

TO LET—An exceptionally large, warm and well furnished room with bathroom attached. 144 Menzies street. nov23-tf

TO LET—Two front rooms, nicely furnished and heated; with board in private family; bath, hot and cold water. 59½ Superior street, James Bay. de2-tf

TO LET—New and nicely furnished rooms with or without fire, by day, week or month. Apply 53 Yates street. no28-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Well built new house of 12 spacious rooms, splendidly situated in best residential portion of city, within ten minutes of car. Every modern convenience, perfect sanitary arrangements throughout; stables, etc., more than an acre of land, standing high, southerly aspect, fine commanding view of city. Apply Z, box 236, City. j25-tf

FOR SALE—First-class business for two energetic young men. Small capital required. For particulars apply to Charles Green & Co., auctioneers and brokers, 46 Yates street. ja22

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Furnished rooms over 48 Yates street, Humphrys block. Apply to Weiler Bros., Fort street. ja22-tf

FOR SALE—A bargain, 58 ft x 130 ft, Pine street, Victoria West, $400. Terms to suit. Apply to Crane, McGregor & Boggs. ja20

LOT, double frontage, Pandora street, $600. Terms ½ cash. Apply to Crane, McGregor & Boggs. ja20

SIX-ROOMED HOUSE, Johnson street, $2250. Terms to suit. Apply to Crane, McGregor & Boggs. ja20

NEW COTTAGE, Spring Ridge, $1100. Apply to Crane, McGregor & Boggs. ja20

NINE-ROOMED HOUSE, large lot, $3500. Can be purchased in monthly payments. Apply to Crane, McGregor & Boggs. ja20

FOR SALE.—Five, ten or twenty acres of Cultivated Land on the Burnside road. Terms ¼ cash, ¼ every year until paid off. Crane, McGregor & Boggs.

FOR SALE CHEAP—One of the oldest established fuel businesses in Victoria, centrally situated and doing a good trade. Also a general teaming business with 10 horses, wagons and gear complete. Party buying can have the first privilege of taking over from one to five thousand cords of wood loaded on the cars of the E. & N. Road at prices and terms to suit. This is an exceptional chance for a live man with some cash. Satisfactory reasons for wanting to sell. Address H. this office or P.O. box 1. de26-tf

FINANCIAL.

VICTORIA LOAN OFFICE,
Corner Government and Pandora streets. Money advanced on all kinds of approved security. Business strictly confidential. my4

INSURANCE.

THE NORWICH UNION
FIRE INSURANCE SOCIETY.
Established 1797. Amount insured $20,000,000.
H. D. PELMCKEN, Agent,
Bastion street, Victoria, B. C. ian3-1y

VETERINARY.

S. F. TOLMIE,
VETERINARY SURGEON,
Graduate Ont. Vet. Col., Member Ont. Vet. Med. Soc. (Late with Dr. John Wende, V. S., Buffalo, N. Y.) Office at Ewing's Livery, 109 Johnson Street. Telephone 182; residence telephone 417. VICTORIA, B. C.

PHYSICIANS.

DR. ERNEST HALL,
L.R.C.P., and C.M., Edinburgh.
SPECIALTY:—Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat.
Jewell Block, corner Yates and Douglas Sts

DRS. HALL & LEITCH,
OFFICES:—DESIARD BLOCK, 60 DOUGLAS ST.
Dr. F. W. HALL, M.D.C.M.
Dr. H. D. LEITCH, M.D.C.M., M.C.P.S.O., F.T.M.S.
Specialty—Diseases of Women and Diseases of Rectum. Lately attending Woman's Hospital and Post Graduate School and Hospital New York. au5-6m

HOMŒOPATHY
DR. JOHN HALL
98 Yates street, over Cochrane and Munn's Drug Store.
CHRONIC AND CHILDREN'S DISEASES A SPECIALTY.
Office hours, from 1 to 4 p.m only excepting Sunday and holidays.

SCAVENGERS

PETER HANSEN
CITY SCAVENGER.
Yards and cesspools cleaned by contract or monthly. Prompt attention given to all orders and prices reasonable.
Orders left at Dixi Ross & Co.'s and Robert Porter's, Island Market, Johnson and Douglas streets.
Residence, Discovery street, between Government and Douglas. ju18

JOHN DOHERTY
GENERAL SCAVENGER,
Yards and cesspools cleaned, contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with Jas. Fell & Co., Fort street, grocers; Cochrane & Munn, corner Yates and Douglas streets, or George Doughty, corner Fort and Blanchard streets, will be promptly attended to. Coal and wood for sale. a22-1y

LOST OR FOUND.

LOST.—A Black Retriever Pup, with black and white breast and nose. Finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving the same at 136 Quadra street. ja23-6t

PIANO TUNING.

PIANOS TUNED AND REGULATED, $2. English concertinas, flutinas and accordeons tuned and repaired. W. C. Windebank (from Broadwood's, London, England), No. 45 Blanchard street. Satisfaction guaranteed. oc20

ARCHITECTS.

THOMAS HOOPER,
ARCHITECT.
Office over SPENCER'S ARCADE, Government street. jy5-tf

JNO. TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT,
Has removed to new offices corner of Broad street and Trounce avenue. fe29-tf

SOCIETIES.

SONS OF ENGLAND BENEVOLENT SOC'Y
Pride of the Island No. 131, Red Rose Degree, meets first and third Wednesdays, at a quarter to eight p.m., in the St. George's Hall, corner of Government and Bastion streets.
Visiting brethren cordially invited.
ARTHUR LEE,
P.O. Box 782. ja2-3m Secretary.

B. C. PIONEER SOCIETY.
The Hall of the above society in Musgrave Block, Broad street, is open daily from 10 a.m., to 4 p.m., for the convenience of Pioneers and their friends, who are cordially invited to visit the rooms.

ANCIENT ORDER FORESTERS
Court Vancouver No. 5755, A.O.F., meets 1st and 3rd Mondays in each month in Foresters' Hall, Government street. Visiting brothers are invited.
fe13 SIDNEY WILSON, Sec.

VICTORIA-COLUMBIA LODGE,
No. 1, A.F. & A.M., B.C.R. Regular communications the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner of Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.
ja16 C. DUBOIS MASON, Secretary.

VANCOUVER & QUADRA LODGE,
No. 2, A. F. & A. M., B.C.R. Regular communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited. jy25 R. A. BROWN, Secretary.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH
Chapter, No. 120, G.R.S. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall, Masonic Temple, Douglas street, Sojourning companions cordially invited. R. LANGLEY,
j-1y Scribe E.

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of
Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend. R. PFERDNER,
oc19 K. of R. & S.

ST. ANDREW'S & CALEDONIAN
Society meets in their hall, corner Langley and Yates streets, on the first Friday in every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join
J. M. MURDOCH, Secretary.

MISCELLANEOUS.

QUEEN'S MARKET.
L. GOODACRE,
Government street, Victoria, B. C., wholesale and retail Butcher, Contractor by appointment to Her Majesty's Royal Navy.

A. & W. WILSON,
PLUMBERS AND GASFITTERS,
Bell Hangers and Tinsmiths. Dealers in best descriptions of Heating and Cooking Stoves, Ranges, etc. Shipping supplied at lowest rates. Broad street, Victoria, B. C. Telephone call 128

JOHN J. AUSTIN,
NOTARY PUBLIC,
Real Estate and General Agent. Loans negotiated. Town and Country Property for sale. Office Government street Victoria. P.O. Box 50.

How to Get Rich

This is the question of the day, and it has been solved at last: By getting your groceries from **Watson & Hall.** You will not need to puzzle your brains any longer. You save money and get the best quality of goods.

All goods warranted.

Satisfaction guaranteed.

55 YATES ST. TELEPHONE 448.

JNO. EARSMAN & CO.

Real Estate Brokers

AND INSURANCE AGENTS.

WILLIAMS BUILDING, BROAD ST.

Lots on the

COLLINGWOOD ESTATE

from one to ten acres, cleared or uncleared. This property is situated about three miles from the postoffice, and is beautifully located, with a stream of water running through it. Easy terms.

PORT SIMPSON

acreage at various prices, and in sizes to suit purchasers. This is a good chance to get in on the "ground floor."

A SPLENDID CORNER

on the Fairfield road, and water front lots at Fowl Bay. The latter can be bought cheap for cash.

Also Lots in all parts of the City.

Agents for the New York Life Insurance Co. ja7

DENTISTRY IN ALL ITS BRANCHES.

DR HARTMAN will for the present conduct practice at his residence, 247 Yates street, till he can find suitable offices. His old and new patients will derive great benefit from the doctor's new theory in the Dental Art, derived on his travels in the United States and Europe, where he has studied the latest art in saving, regulating, bridgework, and the latest of all, setting diamonds in teeth. In plate work he can not be excelled, as he is himself an inventor of an improved set of teeth, and apparatus for cleft palate. All difficult operations performed and satisfaction guaranteed. j7

TO ARCHITECTS.

WANTED—Plans for the new Presbyterian church of Nanaimo. For particulars apply to A. SHAW,
ja15-2w Nanaimo.

THE DAILY TIMES

Published every afternoon except Sunday, by the Victoria Times Printing and Publishing Company, Limited,

At No. 37 Yates street, near Government, Victoria, B. C.

SUBSCRIPTION:

Delivered by carrier in any part of the city, per week.....25 cts.
By mail to any part of the world, per year $10.00

The Daily Times.

TEMPORARY CERTIFICATES.

In early days British Columbia had some difficulty in supplying its public schools with teachers who had successfully stood the test of a qualifying examination before the Provincial Board of Examiners. The number of school districts was far in excess of the number of teachers in the Province, and it often happened that schools remained closed for a long period through the scarcity of teachers properly qualified. At that time it was only right that the Department of Education should be allowed considerable latitude in the matter of filling vacancies in schools and the Legislature, accordingly, made provision for the appointment, by the Superintendent of Education, of suitable persons to take temporary charge of schools which would otherwise have remained closed. Authority was given to issue "temporary certificates" which gave their holders the status of teachers and, by this addition to the regular staff, the educational interests of every part of the country received adequate protection.

This power, which, years ago, it was only just and reasonable that the educational authorities should possess, is not necessary now that the Province has teachers enough to fill all the schools, the supply indeed being greater than the demand at the present time. It will be remembered that for the past few years there has been much discussion both in the Legislature and elsewhere on the preference shown to foreigners and the manifest injustice thereby done to residents of the Province who had fulfilled all the requirements of the School Act and had been declared the only persons qualified to teach in the public schools. The Legislature, recognizing the fact that temporary certificates had been granted either through favoritism or through pressure from influential quarters, enacted that such certificates should be given on the recommendation of the trustees of a district, and only upon their satisfying the Superintendent of Education "of their inability to secure a person properly qualified, suitable as a teacher for their school." It is, therefore, clear that, in the granting of a temporary certificate, the Superintendent is the only responsible party and he is bound to satisfy himself that the trustees are unable to secure anyone holding a first, second or third class certificate of qualification and, in other respects, suitable as a teacher for their school.

In view of the clear wording of the clause in the School Act to which we have referred, we are utterly at a loss to comprehend the principle by which the Superintendent of Education allowed himself to be guided when he granted, on the request of the Trustees of the Craigflower School, a temporary certificate to a foreigner and refused to recognize the just claims of gentlemen who, on examination, had proved themselves worthy of holding any position in the public schools of British Columbia. The correspondence which we publish in another column explains itself. It shows that six teachers, properly qualified under the Act and suitable in every sense, had applied for the school and that their application was rejected for no other reason than that the application of Mr. Mulder had, "in accordance with the practice of the Department in similar cases, received favorable consideration." We are also informed, on the best authority, that the Department was well aware that those six teachers were in the field and that, after granting the temporary certificate and receiving Mr. Ross' protest, it directed the Trustees to make out a second application, the first having been found insufficient.

Doctor Pope's haughty reply to Mr. Ross is simply an intimation that it is the eternal duty of a teacher to keep quiet and express no dissatisfaction with the existing order of things educational. We do not apprehend that the Council of Public Instruction will formally find Mr. Ross guilty of gross insubordination, for, as he does not hold a life certificate, his career as a teacher may be abruptly ended at some July examination, and that too, in a manner not calculated to draw forth so much comment as would be the case were his certificate cancelled by an Order-in-Council.

LANCASHIRE'S VERDICT.

What Lancashire thinks to-day, England will think to-morrow, said Lord Salisbury when on a canvassing tour against Mr. Gladstone's Government; and many a time have the Tories of Lancashire roared themselves hearse applauding their speakers when they repeated his Lordship's flattering estimate of the county. For some time they had cause to rejoice in it, but the time is gone, and they are aware of it. By tacit consent of both of the great political parties in England, the election for the seat made vacant by the elevation of Lord Hartington to the House of Lords was looked upon as a test of the feeling of the people of England on the question of retaining a Tory Government in office or returning the Liberal party to power.

Apart from the political convictions of the constituency, the Conservative party had much in their favor. Their candidate was well chosen. Sir Thomas Brookes is a member of a family of great influence in the country, he had been an ultra Liberal, and continued to be until he parted with the Gladstonian party on the question of home rule, when he was rewarded for his change of faith by Lord Salisbury conferring a baronetcy on him. Mr. Maden is an unpretending cotton manufacturer, who, if offered a title, would say, in the words of the Tishbitish woman quoted by John Bright "I will abide with mine own people." The influence of the House of Devonshire is necessarily great in the district, and of course it was exercised in favor of the Government candidate. A trades union leader was bought, or bamboozled by the silver craze into supporting the Tory party. But all did not avail, for the constituency of Rossendale returned Mr. Maden by 6066 votes to 4841. Lancashire thought on Saturday that it was time to have done with the Tory party, and if England had the opportunity, to-day, it would declare itself emphatically of the same opinion.

That opportunity has been withheld too long already. It is true the legal life of an English parliament is seven years, but no Premier save Lord Salisbury has taken advantage of the letter of the law to prolong its life to the legal termination. When an honorable party in office in England has evidence that it does not command the confidence of the people, the Premier appeals to the country, and also when Parliament is anywhere near its legal term of life the rule is to dissolve. Lord Salisbury admits he has not the support of the people now; he knows he is carrying out the letter but not the spirit of the Septennial Act by not calling a new Parliament. He has not the manliness to give the people of England the chance of recording their opinion of his Government. When at last he will have to succumb, he will find his saying to be true. Lancashire has said: Enough of Tory Government. At the general election England will say the same.

When the Liberals return with the glorious Old Man at their head, the first great work has to be the pacification of Ireland, by legislation agreeable to the people of that unhappy island. England has long enough attempted to rule that country by force. The aged leader of the Liberal party means to attempt to do that by conciliation which coercion has failed to accomplish. He means to pacify the people by following the advice of another venerable statesman, who in the words of our greatest poet told his followers to "take away the sword, for states can be saved without it."

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Captain Schley, of the United States Navy, complains because a Chilean court of justice summoned one of the Baltimore's sailors as a witness and sentenced him to a long term of imprisonment. The Chileans need be at no loss to furnish a precedent in the matter, as that is precisely the way in which the Government of British Columbia treats the school teachers.

The defence of the Educational Department causes a vast deal of painful wriggling on the part of the Colonist. It would be quite too wearisome, and besides it is wholly unnecessary, to follow the Government's champion through the columns of dishonest and insane quibbling which it offered yesterday. There is just one matter which needs to be re-stated for the organ's benefit, since it fights so shy of that particular point. When Mr. McLeod was examined before the Council of Public Instruction he offered to point out which Latin papers had been wrongly marked, *if all the papers were produced.* There was no good reason why they should not have been produced. The public has therefore been quick to supply a reason—the Department and the Council were afraid. If Mr. McLeod had really been in the wrong the production of those papers in answer to his challenge would have convicted him at once and utterly; but the inquisitors knew that he was right, and therefore they took shelter under their arbitrary power. British Columbians have lost that hatred of tyranny and unfairness which is attributed to all Britons if they do not condemn such unmanly and sneaking conduct.

The Toronto correspondent of the Montreal Witness thus discusses Ontario bye-election prospects:—

There is a growing feeling of uncertainty as to the results of the bye-elections. In the west the trade question is still, as it was a few months ago, the chief issue, and the farmer is the most important factor in the electorate. Most of the constituencies made vacant by the decisions of the election courts are mainly rural in character, and the national policy counts for less with the farmers than the McKinley tariff does. Still it is not by any means certain that the Abbott Government will lose materially, and no one need be surprised if it gains. A conviction that the Ministry are likely to remain in office does much to prevent bolting, and it cannot be said that there is as yet a probability of the present Conservative Government being defeated. The result of the pending contests will be complicated in one constituency, if not more, by the actions of the Patrons of Industry. They have put a candidate of their own in the field in Halton, and are talking of doing so in East Elgin. Each is a very close constituency, and it is impossible to predict which of the two regular parties will suffer most from the instruments of the third one. Much will depend in each case on the question whether the independent candidate was originally a Liberal or a Conservative.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

THE Y. L. I. ENTERTAINMENT.

A large number of seats have already been reserved for the dramatic entertainment to be given in the Victoria theatre on Thursday evening by the Y.L.I. in aid of the R. C. Cathedral organ fund. The young ladies are to be assisted by the members of Seghers' Council, Y.M.I. The good object of the entertainment and the splendid show that will be presented should crowd the house.

THE DEVIL'S AUCTION.

The costumes of the "Devil's Auction" are the richest ever provided by Manager Gilmore. They comprise uniqueness, costliness and orginality, and will befit the score or more young, pretty and shapely ladies who indulge in various marches and dances down on the programme divertisements. These new terpsichorean steps, as arranged by Bertrand, are stamped with an originality that lifts them from the stereotyped class and makes the performance all the more acceptable. In the scenes where the dances hold sway, Camis, a new premiere assoluta, makes her appearance. Camis is one of the daintiest of dancers and combines such an easy gracefulness with her difficult steps as to make them appear more easy than they really were.

KATIE PUTNAM.

Miss Katie Putnam in her play "Love Finds a Way" has all the chic and vim of the other days. The play is of the romantic order and Miss Putnam is the central figure. Gathered about her is an excellent support, and although there are impossible scenes in the length and breath of it, the company ties it over without making them glaringly apart. Miss Putnam held the audience from the rise to the fall of the curtain and does not seem to have a line in her part that is not effective. Her flights from grave to gay are executed with such grace and ease that the transition seems more a reality than a stage renditition. She sings and dances well and does not play for effect at any time.

BURNS CONCERT WEDNESDAY EVENING.

The anniversary of the poet Burns is celebrated by Scotchmen all over the world, either by a ball, dinner or concert. The latter is the manner in which the First Presbyterian Church choir have celebrated this event for the last three years under the leadership of the popular singer in Victoria, Mr. J. G. Brown, and on Wednesday evening next, this organization will again come before the public with a bill of fare which should satisfy the most enthusiastic Scotchman in this city or country. Mr. Brown has secured the services of Mrs. Turnbull, whose reputation as a Scottish songstress is already established. This lady has lately undergone a course of training at the Victoria Conservatory of Music under the care of Miss McGregor, and the improvement in her singing has been very marked. Mr. Nash, the clever violinist, is also on the programme. The Victoria Glee Club (male), all members of the choir, will sing several humorous Scotch part songs. Miss Russell's sweet treble will be heard in the lyrics of Auld Scotland. Mr. Erskine, a new tenor from the natal place of Burns himself, will sing a beautiful song composed by Jas. Siddon, of Edinburgh, entitled "Burns' Farewell to Ayrshire." Mr. Allan, the well known Scottish reader, will give one of his inimitable Scotch pieces. The remainder of the programme will be composed of songs and duetts by Messrs. Moir, Kinnaird, Grant, Watson and last, but not least, J. G. Brown. Mr. Brown will sing by request, "Robin Tamson's Smiddy." This humorous song in the hands of Mr. Brown is well worth the admission fee. It is customary in Victoria to begin entertainments about half an hour behind time, but it is not so with Mr. Brown. The concert begins at 8 p.m. prompt, and will be brought to a close a few minutes before 10 so that all attending from a distance can get home at a reasonable hour. Doors open at 7:30. Those wishing front seats ought to be on hand early for the hall is sure to be filled to the doors at the time for commencing concert.

IMPERIAL THEATRE.

This popular amusement resort was crowded on Saturday night to witness the last production of "Lost in London." The beautiful domestic drama "May Blossom" will be put on for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights.

Tree Ages in Europe.

It is generally admitted that European trees have rarely exceeded the very respectable age of 800 years. Thus, information recently gathered by the German Forestry Commission assigns to the pine 500 and 700 years as a maximum, 425 years to the silver fir, 275 years to the larch, 245 years to the red beech, 210 years to the aspen, 200 to the birch, 170 years to the ash, 146 to the alder, and 130 to the elm. The heart of the oak begins to rot at about the age of 300 years. The holly oak alone escapes this law, and there is a specimen of this aged 410 years in existence near Afschaferburg, in Germany. But in England there are several famous old oaks of gigantic proportions, and with ages variously estimated at from 700 to 1800 years. The latter age, however, seems incredible.

Rheumatism is like sand in the bearings of machinery. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the great lubricator which cures the disease.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound—Nellie Gray, E Hargie, F Sloan, F Owen, J C O'Neill, C. B. Spear, Miss Maxwell, H Ropp, J Richardson, C Lier, G Redman, Capt Paude, J Beckon, J D Devitt.

CAPT. CHRISTENSEN EXPLAINS.

He Says the Decision of the Court of Enquiry is too Harsh—Capt. Hewitt's Statement.

Regarding the decision of the court of enquiry into the loss of the steamer San Pedro, Capt. Christensen, speaking to a TIMES Reporter, said that in his opinion the decision was too sweeping in its findings when it stated that gross neglect on his part was the cause of the disaster. He says that he is blamed for not taking the bearings off Fisguard Island light, but claims that he did take the bearings, as well as he could with the facilities afforded by the vessel. He trusted to the deviation of the compass as found when the vessel was going up towards Baynes Sound, light, but there is every probability that the cargo of coal, largely permeated with iron and magnetic ores, influenced the compass to a great extent, unknown to both Capt. Christensen and Capt. Hewitt. Had the compass been correct, the course he set from Trial Island would have taken the steamer a mile out from Brotchy Ledge reef.

Capt. Christensen also says that he fails to see why he should have been charged with neglect in not taking bearings off Beren's Island light, as it is no guide whatever to clear Brotchy's Ledge when a vessel is bound westwards. Had he been bound into Victoria harbor it would have been different, as in that case Beren's Island light is used as a guide.

Capt. Christensen says he did his very best, and took such bearings as would have brought the vessel clear had it not been for the unaccountable error of the compass. He considers, too, that the proper authorities here have been very neglectful in not advising the Department of Marine at Ottawa to have a better mark as beacon on Brotchy ledge than the one there at the time the San Pedro was wrecked. It should have been the duty of the local authorities to have emphatically pointed out to the head of the department the urgent need of some sort of a light or signal at that point, as the constantly increasing shipping in these waters demands some improvement in lights and beacons, not only on Brotchy Ledge, but in many other places on the British Columbia coast.

A pilot's duties are onerous and dangerous. He should at least be assisted by all the possible methods of lights and signals. Passing along Vancouver Island coast, near Victoria, it is almost impossible, on a dark night, to distinctly see objects at a distance of even a few yards. The glare of the electric lights on the shore distorts objects and renders distances deceptive. Capt. Christensen has been acting as master and pilot in these waters since 1866, and during that time has never before been accused of gross neglect, and he feels very keenly the decision as given by the court of enquiry.

There is also a matter he wishes to call attention to in reference to his statement made before Mr. E. Crow Baker. In it he is made to say that "thinking she would work clear of the ledge, went full speed ahead with helm hard-a-starboard." This is he claims, a clerical error. What should have been stated was, "Capt. Hewitt advised that she should be put full speed ahead after she touched, thinking she would go clear." The stopping and reversing of the engines was done by Captain Hewitt's orders, after the pilot left the bridge.

Capt. Christensen admits he made a mistake in trusting to the deviation too implicitly, but he fails to feel that he was grossly neglectful. He points with pride to his past record, and thinks that the judgment of the court of enquiry was needlessly harsh. While bowing to the decision as rendered, he thinks that the difficulties attendant upon the navigation of this coast should have warranted some slight leniency in the sentence of the court. He thinks that the Nanaimo pilot authorities have acted impartially in their finding, and the suspension of his pilot's license for three months, without the rider of "gross neglect," was a proper and just decision. He also wishes to be made public part of the affidavit made by Capt. Hewett, which certainly does not charge gross neglect on the part of the pilot. It says:—

* * "The glare of the electric lights on shore cast a deep shadow on the waters and made it difficult with the best of binocular glasses to make out anything on the water in the shape of a buoy or small boat. That said pilot has been twice in charge of the pilotage of my vessel before, and being a careful and sober man, I saw no reason for interfering with him. * * * I have no desire to press any specific charge of incompetence or neglect against a man whose record thus far has been one of unquestionable skill and trustworthiness, but incline rather to attribute the much to be regretted accident to an error in judgment on his part in his estimate of the close proximity to a known danger, and an overweening confidence in his knowledge of the tides and pilotage of British Columbia waters."

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

Matters of Interest Going Forward in the Sporting World, Here and Elsewhere.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.

Saturday's game between the Colonials and the Old Country was won by the latter team by five goals to one. The countries were represented by the following players:

Colonials—Lorimer, McConnan, Bennet, Heeps, Spring, Traill, Clark, Cullin, Dalby, Miller and Howard.

Old Country—Roynes, Sproat, Bullin, Perkins, Martin, Foukes, Selkirk, Pummett, Goward, Clifton and Allan.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

SPENCER'S -:-:- ARCADE -:-:- SALE.

Big Sale Commencing Tuesday, Jan. 26.

SOME SPECIAL EXTRAORDINARY CHEAP LINES

Our stock of Tweed Waterproof Cloaks for Ladies and Children, regular price $6.75 to $7.50, all at $3.50; regular price, $8 to $12.50, all at $4.75. Furs at less than cost. Ladies' Jackets, ¾ Coats and Ulsters, very much reduced.

50 doz. Kid Gloves, all sizes, good colors, 4 and 6 button, regular prices $1 to $1.75; all at 50c. per pair.
20 doz. Kid Gloves, black gauntlet, coming style, all at 75c. per pair.
25 doz. Ladies Fine Cashmere Hose, various lines, worth from 75c. to $1, all at 33c per pair.
35 doz, Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, full finished, 3 pairs for $1.
70 doz. Children's Black Cashmere Hose, all sizes, one price, 3 pairs for $1.
20 doz. Ladies' and Girls' Fine Wool Combinations, greatly reduced.
Ladies' Wool Shawls very cheap.
15 doz. Ladies' Fine Balbriggan Vests, various makes, all at 50c.
2000 yards Calico at 5¾c., original price 10c.
White Muslin Embroideries from 2c. per yard up, very cheap.
Great assortment Dress Buttons, original price from 50c. to 75c. per card, all at 5c. per dozen.
Ladies' Linen Collars, various shapes, 25c. upwards, now all at 5c. each.
Fancy-Work Articles, Felt Goods, etc., etc., much less than half price.
A good line of Corsets, regular price $1.75, reduced to $1.

Our Complete Stock of Trimmed Millinery, French Patterns, &c., &c., put in two lines at $2.50 and $5.00.

REMNANTS:

As a result of Stock-taking, just completed, we have turned out immense quantities of Remnants which have been marked very low.

Remnants of Dress Goods, Silks, Tweeds, Flannels, Satteens, White and Fancy Colored Muslins, Skirtings, Ginghams, Prints, Linens, etc.

Remnants of Ribbons, Laces, Embroideries, etc., etc.

Ladies will find a look through these Remnants very much to their advantage.

Other Special Lines, which we have not space to mention, will be found at equally desirable prices.

D. SPENCER, - - GOVERNMENT ST.

THE CITY AND DISTRICT

Use "Highland Brand" Evaporated Cream.

Blank Books.

Kerr & Begg's bookstore 45 Government street, opp Bank of B. C.

To Builders.

45 Johnson street is the place to buy your hardware.

Board of Trade Council.

There will be a special meeting of the Council of the Board of Trade to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock, when the principal item of business to be considered will be the report of Mr. Ward on the San Pedro affair.

All kinds of cutlery at Fox's, 78 Government street.

National Electric Tramway Co.

The annual general meeting of the street car company will be held at the company's office, Rock Bay bridge, on Monday evening, February 1st, for the reception of the directors' report, the financial statement and the election of directors.

New Grocery Store.

Mickel and Grice, corner of Fort and Blanchard streets, F. Ord Mickel, experienced retail man, blending teas, etc., in Seattle Wash.; Joseph Grice, late bookkeeper for S. J. Pitts and Cowan & Wilson. Open to-morrow, Saturday, 23rd, with new stock of staple and fancy Groceries.

The Celebrated Optician.

Prof. Seward, of New York, is now in Victoria and will remain until Feb. 1st. Optical parlors cor. Yates and Douglas streets, over drug store. In adjusting eye-glasses and spectacles the Prof. is already too well known to need further comment. He will stop at Seattle before going back to New York.

A Chemical Engine.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen on Wednesday evening the advisability of obtaining a chemical engine for the fire department will be discussed. The Westminster department has found their chemical engine to be of great service, and even the small ones that the Victoria department have got do good work at small fires.

Lawyers Dinner.

The lawyers are not likely to have another adjournment of their dinner this evening. It has become so much a practice of the profession to defer matters, that it was only second nature to ask, last Monday evening, "for further time in which to deliver statement of claim." Mine host Marbœuf will be ready to proceed with the case this evening.

Take a Turkish Bath.

The B. C. Medico-Electric Institute has decided to reduce the price of Turkish baths to $1. To enable all to avail themselves of a clean bath in comfortable apartments, hot and cold water baths in connection with a rejuvenating shower bath will be given for the moderate price of 50cts. Open daily from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m., including Sundays. Tickets for sale at the office, 76 Yates street.

Linen Crumb cloths at Weiler Bros

The Ball To-night.

The Scotch ball in Assembly Hall this evening promises to surpass any of the previous efforts of the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society. The hall is being decorated and everything possible will be done so make it look beautiful. A large number of tickets have been disposed of so that a grand success is predicted. A committee of members will see that all who attend are well entertained.

Borne to the Grave.

The remains of the late Mrs. Maria Carmichael were laid at rest in Ross Bay cemetery yesterday, a large number of friends attending the funeral. The services at St. James' Church were especially impressive, the choir rendering special anthems and hymns. Archdeacon Scriven officiated. The pallbearers were: Thos. Earle, M.P., Hon. Theo. Davie, G. McFarland, W. A. Archibald, E. E. Blackwood, Edward Mallandaine.

Making Her Mark.

Victoria boys who have gone away from home in search of the knowledge to be obtained at colleges and universities are not the only ones who are obtaining honors for their labors, as a letter received by Mr. and Mrs. John T. Papst from their daughter, who is at school in Toronto, is encouraging to them. This young lady received several honors at the last examinations at the school she is attending, among them special mention being made of her crayon work, several very good specimens of which her parents have received. Miss Papst received the foundation of her education in the Victoria public and high schools.

Table mats at Fox's.

Cook & Irving.

Have purchased the Bee Hive saloon at the corner of Fort and Broad streets.

Removed.

The Central Coal and Wood Yard office removed to 22 Trounce Avenue. Best coal and good dry wood. W. T. Franklin, agent.

Cash Jewelry Store.

"The Pennock Diamond Hall," Doane Block, opposite Odd Fellows' Hall, Douglas street, is now open with a full line of jewelry, watches and silverware. The business will be continued on a strictly cash basis, which means smaller profits for the proprietors and better prices for purchasers. Customers are sure to be suited, as Mr. Pennock is a practical manufacturer. tf.

Standard Theatre Closed.

Owing to the fact that the liquor license of the Standard theatre has been forfeited, the establishment has closed its doors temporarily. The case has been appealed to the higher courts, and pending a decision the variety entertainments will be discontinued as without the adjunct of the bar the profits accruing from the business will not warrant their continuation.

Do You Wear Glasses?

If so, be fitted by the ONLY OPTICIAN in British Columbia, F. W. Nolte, (of F. W. Nolte & Co.) 27 Fort street. He has the experience and facilities to test your eyes thoroughly, to grind all kinds of lenses from the simplest to the most complicated on the premises. Patronize an established and responsible firm, who are here to STAY and who guarantee satisfaction in all cases. Gold spectacles and eyeglasses (the very best) $8 to $15. No charge for testing the eyes.

Shaving sets at Fox's.

Want a Bonus.

The council of the Vancouver Board of Trade met last week to consider the advantages attendant on the establishment of a shipyard at that port. After a discussion the following resolution was carried:—

"That this board beg respectfully to impress upon the notice of the government the great advantage which, in their opinion, would result to the province through the establishment of the industry of shipbuilding (within the province), and as a means to its promotion would ask the government to take into consideration the advisability of granting a bonus of $5 per ton register to the builders of any sea going vessel of the tonnage of not less than 600 tons. Said bonus to be paid on the vessel being registered and classed."

Police Court Pencillings.

The police gathered in four individuals yesterday who so far managed the new Sunday closing law as to be able to get drunk. Two of them were let out on bail of ten dollars each and didn't call for the balance this morning; the remaining two stayed at the police station over night and paid the customary five dollars.

The fellow Graham who was up in the police court Saturday on the charge of bringing the woman Woods and the two children over from Tacoma for immoral purposes, has managed to get together the $100 fine imposed, or rather the woman has paid it for him. The girls have returned to their business, and the law is powerless, beyond fining again, to prevent them.

The police are energetic these days; the cold weather has something to do with it probably. To-morrow, as the result of a little rustling, they will have no less than eight women in court, among whom is the long ago notorious Hattie Spaulding. Hattie is an old frequenter of the police court, and has paid her $50 every time most cheerfully. His Honor Police Magistrate Belyea, however, on the last occasion, promised to raise the price a little next time.

The World Enriched.

The facilities of the present day for the production of everything that will conduce to the material welfare and comfort of mankind are almost unlimited and when Syrup of Figs was first produced the world was enriched with the only perfect laxative known, as it is the only remedy which is truly pleasing and refreshing to the taste and prompt and effectual to cleanse the system gently in the Spring time or, in fact, at any time and the better it is known the more popular it becomes.

The Latest.

Photographs on handkerchiefs, book marks, etc., will not break, wash out or fade, see samples at Jones & Co., 60 Yates street.

THE SILVER QUEEN.

Montreal Capitalists Interesting Themselves in British Columbia Mines.

A notice of the incorporation of the Silver Queen Mining Co., in the B. C. Gazette of last week, is one of the results of the visit of Mr. F. J. Claxton to Montreal. The company has purchased the Silver Queen mine, an extension of the Silver King, the famous Toad Mountain mine, and is composed of Montreal capitalists, with J. E. Boss, of Spokane, Wm. Dalby and Fred J. Claxton, of Victoria, and Dr. Lefevre, of Vancouver. The mine will be developed at once, the company having ample funds, the capital being placed at $1,000,000. It is reassuring to find that Eastern Canadian capital is recognizing the fact that British Columbia mines are safe investments, and Mr. Claxton is to be congratulated on being the first to form a company in Montreal to operate a Kootenay mine. The success of this venture will make it very easy for those who follow, and who have legitimate propositions to submit, to get the capital required.

THE NEW BREWERIES.

The Victoria Brewing Company's New Building---The Phoenix Brewery.

The plans for the Victoria Brewing Company's new brewery, prepared by Mr. H. Steinway, of Seattle, are on view at Mr. John Teague's office, Trounce avenue. They call for a very handsome stone and brick building to be built at the corner of Government and Discovery streets, the main elevation being on the former street. The main building runs up six storeys high, being surmounted by a handsome tower. The Discovery street elevation will be two storeys high. The main entrance is through a very elaborate gateway on Government street, the arch to be built of Koksilah stone, which material with granite, will form the decorations throughout the building. The brewery is to be built on the latest plans and will be complete in every particular. Contractors are now at work figuring on it and Mr. Steinway will be here in a few days to award the contract. The building when completed will be an ornament to the portion of the city in which it is to be built, the architect having spared no pains and the promoters no expense to make it one of the best on the coast.

Messrs. Spratt & Gray will put in an Armington & Sims engine to run the brewing machinery and will also put in the belting apparatus.

The Phœnix Brewing Company's new building on the Esquimalt road is already well under way, Mr. John Coughlan and Messrs Bishop & Sherbourne being the contractors. It is to be six stories high.

MORE SCHOOL TROUBLES.

Ross v. Pope---The Superintendent's Superiority to the Law.

This case in which Dr. Pope as Superintendent of Education was defendant, was tried before Dr. Pope as Secretary of the Council of Public Instruction, with the result that the plaintiff was non-suited.

It appears that Mr. Ross, as one of the applicants for the Craigflower school, protested against the appointment of Mr. Mulder, who had no certificate, and indited the following letter to the Council of Public Instruction:—

COLWOOD, Jan. 8th, 1891.

SIR,—I desire to bring to your notice, for the consideration of the Honorable the Council of Public Instruction, matters connected with the granting of a temporary certificate to one E. Robinson Mulder.

The trustees of Craigflower had to consider six applications for the position of teacher in that district, five of the applicants being certificated teachers "properly qualified" according to section 53 of the Public School Act.

As the five certificated teachers, namely, R. Watkin, J. W. H. King, Samuel Shepherd, W. Allan and D. Ross were "properly qualified," it is clear that it was impossible for the trustees to "satisfy the Superintendent of Education of their inability to secure a person 'properly qualified,'" and I am informed by the Secretary of the Board that no application for a temporary certificate was considered at a meeting of the board.

If the trustees deemed that no person other than a married man was "suitable as a teacher for the school" it was unnecessary for them to go beyond the applications of the five qualified teachers referred to.

It is unfair to teachers who have after much work and worry succeeded in obtaining certificates of qualification that their efforts to improve their position should be frustrated by the Superintendent of Education by giving a temporary certificate to a gentleman whose claims were, under the law, entitled to no consideration

I am, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
D. ROSS, Goldstream.

S. D. Pope, LL.D.,
Sec'y Council Public Instruction.

To this communication Dr. Pope sent the following "dignified" reply:—

VICTORIA, January 18th, 1892.

SIR,—In reply to your communication of the 8th inst., addressed to the Hon. the Council of Public Instruction, referring to the granting of a temporary certificate to Mr. E. R. Mulder, I am directed to state that the application of the Board of Trustees of Craigflower school district on behalf of that gentleman has, in accordance with the practice of the Department in similar cases, received favorable consideration.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
S. D. POPE,
Sec. Council of Public Instruction.

Duncan Ross, Esq.,
Colwood Public School.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

SUPREME COURT CHAMBERS.
(Before Mr. Justice Crease.)

Ten days from date was to-day fixed as the date of trial in the case between the Pacific Asphalt Company and McGregor & Jeeves. Bodwell & Irving for plaintiff; Geo. Jay for defendant.

Davie & Bodwell vs. Turner—Judgment was given for the amount of costs applied for.

They Were Missed.

Yesterday the street cars were idle for the first time since the 17th of January, 1891. The cause was that one of the pulleys on the lay shaft needed an overhauling as did some other parts of the machinery. In fact the occasion was a sort of annual overhaul. The street cars were missed by many, and several people were heard to deplore the fact that a ride out to Oak Bay or the outer wharf could not be indulged in. More especially was this noticed among those of small means who have found the street cars in the past a cheap and ready way to get out of the city for a few hours of a Sunday or holiday. President Higgins says that he trusts the system will not be interrupted again for a long time to come. In fact the plant is now so perfect that a breakdown is almost impossible.

The Last Sad Rites.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Catherine Hotz (Evans) took place this morning, leaving the house, Beacon Hill, at 9:30 and St. Andrew's R. C. Cathedral at 10 o'clock. The funeral services were celebrated by Rev. Father Nicolaye, assisted by the Rev. Father Geothem. The pallbearers were: T. J. Burnes, Jos. Loewen, Geo. Steitz, W. Webb, H. Gaydon and W. Lorimer.

In her will the deceased leaves $300 to the Old Folks' Home, $300 to the Jubilee Hospital, $300 to the poor of her native city in Germany, $500 to her neice at Shawnigan Lake, $4000 to a friend and the balance of the estate, after defraying all expenses, to a niece in Germany. Mr. Geo. Stelly, jr., and Mr. H. W. B. Aikman are trustees of the estate.

Death of Aaron Workman.

Aaron Workman, who a little over a year ago, had one of his legs amputated on account of a cancer, died at his residence this morning, having fretted himself to death. The deceased, a native of Londonderry, aged 56 years, came to Victoria in 1861 from California. He went to Cariboo immediately after his arrival here, and met with the usual vicissitudes of a miner's life. Returning to Victoria he went into business as a gardener, and for a number of years had charge of Bishop Hills' garden. Eight years ago he was appointed guard at the provincial jail, which position he held until he lost his leg. He leaves a wife, two sons and two daughters. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon.

Who Knows Charlie Davis?

Postmaster Shakespeare has received the following letter from Mr. J. N. Fender, Principal of the Iola School, Illinois:—

IOLA, Illinois, Sept. 1, 1891.

DEAR SIR,—If you know anything of the whereabouts of Charley Davis, I would be glad to hear, as I am settling up his father's estate and I have Charlie Davis part and wish to finish settling up the estate. If you know anything about him it would be conferring a great kindness to me to hear. Yours Respt.,
E. FENDER.

Stereoscoptican Exhibition.

A stereoscoptican exhibition will be held in the Gorge Road Methodist Church on Wednesday in connection with a first class concert. Among the views will be pictures of Robert Burns, his birthplace and home in which he was born. This part of the entertainment will no doubt please Scotsmen.

Another Chinese Missionary.

Rev. A. Winchester, of Berlin, Ont., has accepted a call from the foreign mission committee of the Presbyterian church to take charge of Chinese mission work in British Columbia. The reverend gentleman, who will arrive here shortly, will make Victoria his headquarters.

The Empress' Arrival.

Canadian Pacific steamship Empress of Japan passed Otter Point at 1:40 o'clock this afternoon. She will not land her mail and passengers at the outer wharf the Maude having been engaged as tender to her.

To the young face *Pozzoni's Complexion Powder* gives fresher charms, to the old renewed youth. Try it.

NEW DRY GOODS

AT LESS THAN

EASTERN PRICES.

Having purchased over

$3000.00

worth of general dry goods (consigned to a firm on the coast and stopped in transit) at A BIG DISCOUNT, and not being able to secure larger premises in time for our Spring trade, our lease expiring in a few months, we must

CLEAR OUT

the whole of our Fall Stock (including the above consignment) to make room for our very large stocks coming forward for Spring trade

WE GIVE A FEW PRICES:

Sealettes reduced to $3.90, $6.50 and $9.75, worth $6 to $12 per yard.
Tweed Costumes reduced to $5.95, worth $9.75.
Splendid line of Ulsterings reduced to $1.50, worth $2.25.

DRESS GOODS, AWAY DOWN IN PRICE.

Grey Flannels (all wool, 15, 20, 25, 30 and 35 cents, worth 20 to 50.
Fancy Flannels, all round 40 cents per yard.

JACKETS, MANTLES AND FURS, ALL UNDER COST

ART SILKS, $1 per yard, usual price $1.50.
Grey Cotton, 20 yards for $1 worth 8 cents per yard.
Grey Cotton, extra heavy (a first rate thing), 11 yards for $1. Would be cheap for 12½ cents per yard.
White Cotton, splendid line, 11 yards for $1.
Our noted Seamless Josephine and Bretagne Lacing Glove, reduced to $1.25 per pair.

The above lines must be cleared to make room for our very large Spring Stock now en route from Europe.

NOTE THE ADDRESS:

THE STANLEY HOUSE

GENERAL DRY GOODS,

Corner Broad and Yates Sts

Also Commercial St., Nanaimo.

WM. S. HAMPSON & CO

BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

(Incorporated by Royal Charter, 1862.)

CAPITAL PAID UP.....£600,000, $3,000,000
(With power to increase.)
RESERVE FUND.....£220,000, $1,100,000

BRANCHES:

VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.
VANCOUVER, "
NEW WESTMINSTER, "
NANAIMO, "
KAMLOOPS, "
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.
PORTLAND, OREGON.
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON.
TACOMA, "

HEAD OFFICE: - - - - - - - - - 60 LOMBARD STREET, LONDON, ENGLAND.

AGENTS AND CORRESPONDENTS:

CANADA—Bank of Montreal and Branches; Canadian Bank of Commerce and Branches; Imperial Bank of Canada and Branches; Commercial Bank of Manitoba; and Bank of Nova Scotia.
UNITED STATES—Agents, Bank of Montreal, New York; Bank of Montreal, Chicago.

VICTORIA BRANCH, - - - Government Street, Corner Fort.

SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT.

Deposits received from $1 upwards, and interest allowed (present rate) at 4 PER CENT. PER ANNUM.

Telegraphic transfers and remittances to and from all points can be made through this Bank at current rates. Collections carefully attended to. Bullion purchased, and every description of Banking Business transacted.

A BRANCH OF THIS BANK WILL BE OPENED IN THE KOOTENAY LAKE DISTRICT

(NELSON, B.C.) AS SOON AS THE SEASON OPENS IN THE SPRING OF 1892.

VICTORIA, B.C., 16th Dec., 1891. WM. C. WARD, Manager.

AT THE TABERNACLE.

DR. TALMAGE GIVES IMPRESSIVE LESSONS IN THE ECHO.

The Echoes of a Moral Example in One Family and an Example of Moral Indifference in Another—Eternity to Echo the Deeds of Time.

BROOKLYN, Jan. 17.—Dr. Talmage gave a new illustration to his sermon this morning on the question of the art of drawing spiritual lessons from common natural phenomena. His subject was "Echoes," and his text, Ezekiel vii, 7, "The sounding again of the mountains."

At last I have found it. The Bible has in it a recognition of all phases of the natural world from the aurora of the midnight heavens to the phosphorescence of the tumbling sea. But the well known sound that we call the Echo I found not until a few days ago I discovered it in my text, "The sounding again of the mountains." That is the Echo. Ezekiel of the text heard it again and again.

Born among mountains, and in his journey to distant exile, he had passed among mountains, and it was natural that all through his writings there should loom up the mountains. Among them he had heard the sound of cataracts and of tempests in wrestle with oak and cedar, and the voices of the wild beasts, but a man of so poetic a nature as Ezekiel could not allow another sound, viz., the Echo, to be disregarded, and so he gives us in our text "The sounding again of the mountains."

Greek mythology represented the Echo as a nymph, the daughter of Earth and Air, following Narcissus through forests and into grottoes and every whither, and so strange and weird and startling is the Echo I do not wonder that the superstitious have lifted it into the supernatural. You and I in boyhood or girlhood experimented with this responsiveness of sound. Standing half way between the house and barn, we shouted many a time to hear the reverberations, or out among the mountains back of our home, on some long tramp, we stopped and made exclamation with full lungs just to hear what Ezekiel calls "The sounding again of the mountains."

The Echo has frightened many a child and many a man. It is no tame thing after you have spoken to hear the same words repeated by the invisible. All the silences are filled with voices ready to answer. Yet it would not be so startling if they said something else, but why do those lips of the air say just what you say? Do they mean to mock or mean to please? Who are you and where are you, thou wondrous Echo? Sometimes its response is a reiteration. The shot of a gun, the clapping of the hands, the beating of a drum, the voice of a violin are sometimes repeated many times by the Echo.

Near Coblentz—that which is said has seventeen Echoes. In 1766, a writer says that near Milan, Italy, there were seventy such reflections of sound to one snap of a pistol. Play a bugle near Lake of Killarney and the tune is played back to you as distinctly as when you played it. There is a well two hundred and ten feet deep at Carlsbrooke castle, in the Isle of Wight. Drop a pin into that well and the sound of its fall comes to the top of the well distinctly. A blast of an Alpine horn comes back from the rocks of Jungfrau in surge after surge of reflected sound, until it seems as if every peak had lifted and blown an Alpine horn.

But have you noticed—and this is the reason for the present discourse—that this Echo in the natural world has its analogy in the moral and religious world? Have you noticed the tremendous fact that what we say and do comes back in recoiled gladness or disaster? About this resonance I preach this sermon.

FARREACHING MORAL EXAMPLES.

First—Parental teaching and example have their Echo in the character of descendants. Exceptions? Oh, yes. So in the natural world there may be no Echo, or a distorted Echo, by reason of peculiar proximities, but the general rule is that the character of the children is the Echo of the character of parents. The general rule is that good parents have good children and bad parents have bad children. If the old man is a crank, his son is apt to be a crank and the grandchild a crank. The tendency is so mighty in that direction that it will get worse and worse unless some hero or heroine in that line shall rise and say: "Here! By the help of God, I will stand this no longer. Against this hereditary tendency to queerness I protest." And he or she will set up an altar and a magnificent life that will reverse things, and there will be no more cranks among that kindred.

In another family the father and mother are consecrated people. What they do is right. What they teach is right. The boys may for some time be wild and the daughters worldly, but watch! Years pass on, perhaps ten years, twenty years, and you go back to the church where the father and mother used to be consistent members.

You have heard nothing about the family for twenty years, and at the door of the church you see the sexton and you ask him, "Where is old Mr. Webster?" "Oh, he has been dead many years!" "Where is Mrs. Webster?" "Oh, she died fifteen years ago!" "I suppose their son Joe went to the dogs?" "Oh, no," says the sexton, "he is up there in the elders' seat. He is one of our best and most important members. You ought to hear him pray and sing. He is not Joe any longer; he is Elder Webster." "Well, where is the daughter, Mary? I suppose she is the same thoughtless butterfly she used to be?" "Oh, no," says the sexton, "she is the president of our missionary society and the directress in the orphan asylum, and when she goes down the street all the ragamuffins take hold of her dress and cry, 'Auntie, when are you going to bring us some more books and shoes and things?' And when, in times of revival, there is some hard case back in a church pew that no one else can touch, she goes where he is, and in one minute she has him a-crying, and the first thing we know she is fetching the hardened man up to the front to be prayed for, and says, 'Here is a brother who wants to find the way into the kingdom of God.' And if nobody seems ready to pray, she kneels down in the aisle beside him and says, 'O Lord!' with a pathos and a power and a triumph that seem instantly to emancipate the hardened sinner. Oh, no! you must not call her a thoughtless butterfly in our presence. You see we would not stand it." The fact is that the son and daughter of that family did not promise much at the start, but they are now an Echo, a glorious Echo, a prolonged Echo of parental teaching and example.

But here is a slipshod home. The parents are a godless pair. They let their children do as they please. No example fit to follow. No lessons of morality or religion. Sunday no better than any other day. The Bible no better than any other book. The house is a sort of inn where the older and younger people of the household stop for awhile. The theory acted on, though perhaps not announced, is: "The children will have to do as I did and take their chances. Life is a lottery anyhow and some draw prizes and some draw blanks, and we will trust to luck."

Skip twenty years and come back to the neighborhood where that family used to live. You meet on the street or on the road an old inhabitant of that neighborhood, and you say, "Can you tell me anything about the Petersons who used to live here?" "Yes," says the old inhabitant; "I remember them very well. The father and mother have been dead for years." "Well, how about the children? What has become of them?" The old inhabitant replies: "They turned out badly. You know the old man was about half an infidel and the boys were all infidels. The oldest son married, but got into drinking habits, and in a few years his wife was not able to live with him any longer and his children were taken by relatives, and he died of delirium tremens on Blackwell's island. His other son forged the name of his employer and fled to Canada.

"One of the daughters of the old folks married an inebriate with the idea of reforming him, and you know how that always ends—in the ruin of both the experimenter and the one experimented with. The other daughter disappeared mysteriously and has not been heard of. There was a young woman picked out of the East river and put in the morgue, and some thought it was her, but I cannot say." "Is it possible?" you cry out. "Yes, it is possible. The family is a complete wreck." My hearers, that is just what might have been expected. All this is only the Echo, the dismal Echo, the awful Echo, the dreadful Echo of parental obliquity and unfaithfulness. The old folks heaped up a mountain of wrong influences, and this is only what my text calls "The sounding of the mountains."

Indeed our entire behavior in this world will have a resound. While opportunities fly in a straight line and just touch us once and are gone never to return, the wrongs we practice upon others fly in a circle, and they come back to the place from which they started. Doctor Guillotine thought it smart to introduce the instrument of death named after him, but did not like it so well when his own head was chopped off with the guillotine.

THE DAY OF ALL DAYS.

So also the Judgment Day will be an Echo of all our other days. The universe needs such a day, for there are so many things in the world that need to be fixed up and explained. If God had not appointed such a day all the nations would cry out, "Oh, God, give us a Judgment Day." But we are apt to think of it and speak about it as a day away off in the future, having no special connection with this day or any other day. The fact is that we are now making up its voices; its trumpets will only sound back again to us what we now say and do. That is the meaning of all that Scripture which says that Christ will on that day address the soul, saying, "I was naked and ye clothed me; I was sick and in prison and ye visited me."

All the footsteps in that prison corridor as the Christian reformer walks to the wicket of the incarcerated, yea all the whispers of condolence in the ear of that poor soul dying in that garret, yea all the kindnesses are being caught up and rolled on until they dash against the Judgment Throne and then they will be struck back into the ears of these sons and daughters of mercy. Louder than the crash of Mount Washington falling on its face in the world wide catastrophe, and the boiling of the sea over the furnaces of universal conflagration will be the Echo and Re-echo of the good deeds done and the sympathetic words uttered and the mighty benefactions wrought.

On that day all the charities, all the self-sacrifices, all the philanthropies, all the beneficent last wills and testaments, all the Christian work of all the ages, will be piled up into mountains, and those who have served God and served the suffering human race will hear what my text styles "The sounding of the mountains."

My subject advances to tell you that eternity itself is only an echo of time. Mind you, the analogy warrants my saying this. The echo is not always exactly in kind like the sound originally projected. Lord Raleigh says that a woman's voice sounding from a grove was returned an octave higher. A scientist playing a flute in Fairfax county, Va., found that all the notes were returned, although some of them came in raised pitch.

A trumpet sounded ten times near Glasgow, Scotland, and the ten notes were all repeated, but a third lower. And the spiritual law corresponds with the natural world. What we do of good or bad may not come back to us in just the proportion we expect it, but come back it will; it may be from a higher gladness than we thought or from a deeper woe, from a mightier conqueror or from a worse captive, from a higher throne or deeper dungeon. Our prayer or our blasphemy, our kindness or our cruelty, our faith or our unbelief, our holy life or our dissolute behavior, will come back somehow.

Suppose the boss of a factory or the head of a commercial firm some day comes out among his clerks or employees, and putting his thumbs in the armholes of his vest says, with an air of swagger and jocosity: "Well, I don't believe in the Bible or the church. The one is an imposition and the other is full of hypocrites. I declare I would not trust one of those very pious people further than I could see him." That is all he says, but he has said enough. The young men go back to their counters or their shuttles and say within themselves, "Well, he is a successful man and has probably studied up the whole subject and is probably right."

That one lying utterance against Bibles and churches has put five young men on the wrong track, and though the influential man had spoken only in half jest, the echo shall come back to him in five ruined lifetimes and five destroyed eternities. You see the Echoes are an octave lower than he anticipated. On the other hand, some rainy day, when there are hardly any customers, the Christian merchant comes out from his counting room and stands among the young men who have nothing to do and says: "Well, boys, this is a dull day but it will clear off after awhile. There are a good many ups and downs in business, but there is an overruling Providence."

"Years ago I made up my mind to trust God and he has always seen me through. I remember when I was your age, I had just come to town and the temptations of city life gathered around me, but I resisted. The fact is there were two old folks out on the old farm praying for me and I knew it, and somehow I could not do as some of the clerks did or go where some of the clerks went. I tell you, boys, it is best always to do right, and there is nothing to keep one right like the old fashioned religion of Jesus Christ. John, where did you go to church last Sunday? Henry, how is the Young Men's Christian association prospering?"

Continued on page 7.

CASTORIA

for Infants and Children

"Castoria is so well adapted to children that I recommend it as superior to any prescription known to me." H. A. ARCHER, M. D., 111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Castoria cures Colic, Constipation, Sour Stomach, Diarrhœa, Eructation, Kills Worms, gives sleep, and promotes digestion. Without injurious medication.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 Murray Street, N. Y.

GREEN, WORLOCK & CO.,

SUCCESSORS TO GARESCHÉ, GREEN & CO.

Established 1873.

— BANKERS —

VICTORIA, B. C.

Deposits received on liberal rates of interest.

Drafts, Orders, Telegraph Transfers and Letters of Credit issued direct on over 10,000 cities in the United States, Canada, Europe, Mexico and China

Collections made at every point.

Gold Dust purchased at highest market rates.

—AGENTS FOR—

WELLS, FARGO & COMP'Y.

ROCK BAY COAL, WOOD AND LUMBER YARD

NORTH END OF ROCK BAY BRIDGE.

TELEPHONE 512 and 470. All Orders receive prompt attention

S. F. McINTOSH,

Dealer in all kinds of Rough and Dressed Lumber, Laths, Shingles, Best New Wellington Coal, Cordwood, etc.

GOOD QUALITY AND MEASUREMENT GUARANTEED

MUNICIPAL.

THE VICTORIA PUBLIC MARKET

Will be Ready for Occupation on or about 19th Inst.

List of Rents for Stalls and Stores can be seen at the office of the "Inspector of Buildings," Wm. W. Northcott, City Hall, who will be pleased to give all necessary information. Call at once and secure your Stall.

By order, WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk's Office, Dec. 8, 1891. C.M.C.

10% FOR CASH.

During the next two weeks we will make the above reduction on all cash sales, as we are removing to our new premises, corner of Government and Johnson streets.

STOVES, TINWARE, GLASSWARE, LAMPS, HOUSE FURNISHINGS.

McLennan & McFeely

70 YATES STREET.

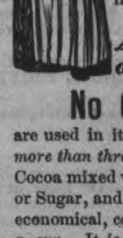
WE DO NOT HIDE OUR FACE TO DECEIVE THE PUBLIC

NEITHER DO WE MARK OUR GOODS SO YOU CAN'T TELL THE PRICE

All goods marked in plain figures,
All clerks obliging and accommodating.
All stock the best the market affords,
All prices reasonable,

AT CAMERON'S THE CASH CLOTHIER 55 JOHNSON STREET

GOLD MEDAL, PARIS, 1878.



W. BAKER & Co.'S Breakfast Cocoa

from which the excess of oil has been removed, is

Absolutely Pure and it is Soluble.

No Chemicals

are used in its preparation. It has *more than three times the strength* of Cocoa mixed with Starch, Arrowroot or Sugar, and is therefore far more economical, *costing less than one cent a cup.* It is delicious, nourishing, strengthening, EASILY DIGESTED, and admirably adapted for invalids as well as for persons in health.

Sold by Grocers everywhere.

W. BAKER & CO., Dorchester, Mass.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

W. H. BAINBRIDGE, Secretary of the B.C. Pottery and Terra Cotta Works, the B.C. Agricultural Association, and the Victoria Jockey Club, has removed his offices to the JEWELL BLOCK, DOUGLAS STREET. [illegible]

REMOVAL.

W. H. DANBY, Real Estate Agent

Has removed to

THE FIVE SISTERS BLOCK

ROOMS 7 AND 9.

P.O. Box 314 ja13 Telephone 474

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO noon, Friday, 29th instant, for the erection and completion of a brewery building for the Victoria Brewing Co. Building to be situated at the southeast corner of Government and Discovery streets.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JNO. TEAGUE, Architect.
ja20-1d

JOSEPH SEARS

HOUSE AND SIGN PAINTER,

Glazier, Paper Hanger, &c.

4 YATES STREET

LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sixty days after date I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land at Barclay Sound, commencing at the post northeast corner of James McKay's lot near Pachena Bay; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains to point of commencement.

GEO. A. HUFF.

Dated at Alberni, this 11th day of January, 1892. ja15-2m

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I SHALL not be responsible for any debts contracted without my written authority.

W. F. TOLMIE.

Victoria Sept. 2, 1891. se2-tf

NOTICE.

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.

JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Farm

Victoria Dec. 11, 1890. de12-3

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that application will be made to the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia at its next Session for an Act to incorporate Mary Ellen McTucker (known in religion as Sister Mary Providence) and other persons now members or hereafter to become members of the Roman Catholic congregation of the Sisters of Saint Ann with power to receive, take, and hold by gift, leave, purchase, devise or otherwise real and personal estate of every description and with full power and authority to grant, sell and dispose of the same by sale, mortgage or otherwise.

Dated this 10th day of December, 1891.

S. PERRY MILLS,
46 Langley street, Victoria, Solicitor for the applicants. dec11-2m

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Part of Five-Acre Suburban Lot No. VII, Victoria City.

WHEREAS THE Certificate of Title of John Turner to the above hereditaments, bearing date the 29th day of February, 1884, has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate;

Notice is, therefore, hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General of Land Registry office.

Victoria, January, 11, 1892. ja12lm

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that at the next session of the Legislative Assembly application will be made for a Private Bill authorizing the applicants to construct, maintain and operate a system of Electric Lighting and Telephones in and about the town of Kaslo, West Kootenay, and for that purpose to take so much of the waters of Kaslo River at such point or points as is necessary for power purposes of such system, and also for power to construct, maintain and operate a system of Water Works in and about said town, with power to divert, at any point or points, the water of Kaslo River for such system of Water Works, and for such systems to build dams, flumes and aqueducts, lay pipes, acquire lands, erect poles, string wires and generally to do all such things as are necessary or incidental to the proper construction, maintainance, operation and management of electric lighting, Telephones and Water Works, together with power to extend such lighting and telephone systems to any and all mines adjacent to the Town of Kaslo.

Dated 11th January, 1892.

BELYEA & GREGORY,
j12-6w Solicitors for Applicants.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria for a transfer to George M. Irving and John Cook of the license now held by me for the sale of liquors by retail upon the premises known as the "Bee Hive" Saloon, situate on the corner of Broad and Fort streets in the city of Victoria.

Dated Victoria, B.C., 18th Jan. 1892.

ja18-1m JAS. S. COWIE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the next session of the Legislative Assembly application will be made by the Victoria and Esquimalt Telephone Company, Limited, for an act to amend their act of incorporation, by which the said Company may be authorized to erect and maintain telephone lines and poles in and throughout Victoria city and the districts of Victoria and Esquimalt, and that the powers and privileges granted by the said act and proposed amending act may be extended and remain in force for a period of 50 years, and that the Company may be authorized to increase its capital stock, and for other purposes.

BODWELL & IRVING,
Solicitors for the Victoria and Esquimalt
de30 Telephone Co., Ld.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a Company to construct, equip, maintain, and operate a line of railway from the townsite of Kaslo, on Kootenay Lake, westerly along the Kaslo river to the junction of the North and South Forks of said river; thence along the North Fork of Kaslo river to some convenient and accessable point near the headwaters of said North Fork in the vicinity of the mines lately discovered near Slocan Lake; with power to build, maintain and operate branch lines from any point or points on the main line or branch line to any mine or mines which may now or hereafter be located or operated in the section of country adjacent to the Kaslo river, and adjacent to and lying between the North and South Forks of said river.

Dated October 22nd, A. D. 1891.

BELYEA & GREGORY,
dec26 Solicitors for the Applicants.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend applying to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Land and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land, situate on the north side of Uchucklesit Harbor, Barclay Sound:—Commencing at a post adjoining Josiah Jaques' claim, in Gunboat Harbor; thence north 20 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east along the shore to the place of commencement; containing 160 acres, more or less.

JAMES O'NEILL.

Victoria, B.C., 12th Jan., 1892. ja12

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 30 days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate on Logan Creek an Effingham Inlet, Barclay Sound and about 3 miles from mouth of inlet on east side. Commencing at a post joining N. E. corner of Indian reserve; thence east 70 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 60 chains; thence east 10 chains; thence north 20 chains to place of commencement, containing 620 acres more or less.

F. McQUILLAN,
December 30, 1891. T. J. BURNS, Jr.
jan5

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 30 days after date I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate on Logan Creek, Effingham Inlet, Barclay Sound, Alberni district. Commencing at a post joining N. E. corner post of F. McQuillan and T. J. Burns' claim; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

FRED WIDDOWSON.

December 30, 1891. jan5

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate on Logan Creek, Effingham Inlet, Barclay Sound, Alberni district. Commencing at a post joining the N. E. corner post of F. Widdowson's claim; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

MORRIS MOSS.

December 30, 1891. jan5

LEGAL NOTICES.

VANCOUVER ISLAND BUILDING SOCIETY

NOTICE.

The eighth Annual General Meeting of the Society will be held at Sir William Wallace Society's Hall, Broad street, on Tuesday, January 26th, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Reports of the Board of Directors and Secretary and the Balance Sheet and Statements of the Secretary and Treasurer for the year ending December 31st, 1891; for the election of Officers and Board of Management for the ensuing year; for holding the 55th Drawing for an appropriation, and the transaction of such business as may be brought before the meeting.

By order, B. WILLIAMS, Sec.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore existing between us in the business of sheet metal workers, under the firm name of Perry & Hall, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

W. H. PERRY,
J. STUART YATES, ALFRED H. HALL,
Witness.

W. H. Perry, who assumes the liabilities of the late firm, will carry on the business under the name of W. H. Perry, and to him all debts owing to the late firm must be paid. ja20-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia at its next session, for an act to authorize the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow money on debentures or otherwise, for the purpose of paying off debts and liabilities incurred by previous Councils; to adjust the account of the Victoria Water Works; to complete the cemetery purchase; to further define the city limits; to add to the voters' list the names of those persons who were within the extended limits, as contemplated by section 267 of the Municipal Act; to divide the municipality into wards prior to assessment; to extend the by-laws of the Corporation to the said extended limits; to deal with the assessment roll, 1891; to repeal the "Victoria Municipal Ordinance, 1887," and the "Victoria Municipal Amendment Ordinance, 1889."

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
City Clerk.

January 21st, 1892. ja22

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty (160) acres of land, situated in Alberni District, Vancouver Island, and more particularly described as follows:—Beginning at the northeast corner of the land purchased by Beaumont Boggs, being Section 78; thence along the line of the said land in a westerly direction 40 chains; thence in a northerly direction 40 chains, more or less, to the line of the Indian Reserve; thence easterly along the line of said Indian Reserve about 40 chains to the shore line; thence along the said shore line to the point of commencement; containing by all 160 acres, more or less.

W. D. McGREGOR.

Victoria, B.C., January 16th, 1892. ja22

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that 60 days after date I intend applying to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land, situate on the south shore of Sarlia Lake, Barclay Sound, Alberni District:—Commencing at a post at head of lake joining W. Braden's claim; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north along lake shore to place of commencement; containing 160 acres, more or less.

G. C. SAUER.

Victoria, B.C., Jan. 20th, 1892. ja20-2m

FOR SALE: BARGAINS, WATER FRONTAGE

House and Lot 250x70, facing on the Gorge; 5 rooms, bathroom, pantry, etc.; well finished; splendid location, cannot be beat; adjoins the property of James Dunsmuir; palatial residence; 1½ miles from postoffice.

Two Lots on Craigflower road, with right of water frontage.

Four Lots on Sunnyside avenue, with right of water frontage.

Two Lots 255x60 on water front; splendid position for houses.

One Lot and small house on Pine street.

The above property is offered for sale at prices to suit the times, so that lots of money is sure to be made on them. No reasonable offer will be refused, either for cash or on time; or will exchange in part for acreage property. Offers asked for the whole, or separately as above. Apply W. S. Smith, Sunnyside, Craigflower road, Victoria West, or C. G. Ballentyne, 61 Government street, over Brown & Whites store.

CALL ON

F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.

He will be pleased to give you reliable information if you want to buy a home, a farm, or seek a good investment. A few of the many bargains he has to offer are:

1 Lot and 5-roomed Cottage, Russell street, Victoria West - - $150

2 Lots on Harrison street, with 2 6-roomed Cottages, each - - 200

1 Lot with 2 5-roomed Houses, on Johnson street, - - - - - 320

($500 cash, balance on easy terms.)

2 fine Lots, Garbally road, - - 170

(Easy terms.)

1 corner Lot, Esquimalt road, - - 57

5 Lots, Esquimalt road, opposite Mr. Pooley's, each - - - - 32

(One-third cash, balance in 18 months.)

2 Lots, corner Edward and Russell streets, Victoria West, - - 140

2 corner Lots, Niagara street, each 80

2 Lots, Niagara street, each - - 75

1 Lot, Rithet street, - - - - 100

2 Lots, Menzies street, - - - 300

2 corner Lots, South Turner street, 260

Agent Union Fire Assurance Co., of London, England.

Interest and Rents Collected.
Conveyancing Carefully Attended to.

F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.

NOTARY PUBLIC.

51 Yates Street, Victoria, B.C.

B.C. PROTESTANT ORPHANS' HOME

(Supported by Voluntary Contributions.)

Notice is hereby given that

THE ANNUAL MEETING

of the subscribers to the above Institution will be held at the Home Rae street, on

WEDNESDAY, 27TH INSTANT, AT 8 P.M.

BUSINESS—Reception of Annual Reports and Balance Sheets, and Election of Officers and Committee of Management for the ensuing year.

CHAS. HAYWARD,
ja20 Honorary Secretary.

AT THE TABERNACLE.

[Continued from page 6.]

TIME'S DOINGS ECHOED IN ETERNITY.

Yea, I take a step further in this subject and say that our own eternity will be a reverberation of our own earthly lifetime. What we are here we will be there, only on a larger scale. Dissolution will tear down the body and embank it, but our faculties of mind and soul will go right on without the hesitancy of a moment and without any change except enlargement and intensification. There will be no more difference than between a lion behind the iron bars and a lion escaped into the field, between an eagle in a cage and an eagle in the sky. Good here, good there; bad here, bad there. Time is only a bedwarfed eternity. Eternity is only an enlarged time.

In this life our soul is in dry dock. The moment we leave this life we are launched for our great voyage, and we sail on for centuries quintillion, but the ship does not change its fundamental structure after it gets out of the dry dock, it does not pass from brig to schooner or from schooner to man-of-war. What we are when launched from this world we will be in the world to come. Oh, God! by thy converting and sanctifying spirit make us right here and now that we may be right forever!

"Well," says some one, "this idea of moral, spiritual and eternal Echo is new to me. Is there not some way of stopping this Echo?" My answer is, "God can and he only." If it is a cheerful Echo we do not want it stopped; if a baleful Echo we would like to have it stopped. The hardest thing in this world to do is to stop an Echo. Many an oration has been spoiled and many an orator confounded by an Echo. Costly churches, cathedrals, theaters and music halls have been ruined by an Echo. Architects have strung wires across auditoriums to arrest the Echo, and hung upholstery against the walls, hoping to entrap it, and hundreds of thousands of dollars have been expended in public buildings of this country to keep the air from answering when it ought to be quiet.

Aristotle and Pythagoras and Isaac Newton and La Place and our own Joseph Henry tried to hunt down the Echo, but still the unexplored realms of acoustics are larger than the explored. When our first Brooklyn Tabernacle was being constructed, we were told by architects that it was of such a shape that the human voice could not be heard in it, or, if heard, it would be jangled into Echoes.

In state of worriment I went to Joseph Henry, the president of the Smithsonian institution at Washington, and told him of this evil prophecy, and he replied: "I have probably experimented more with the laws of sound than any other man, and I have got as far as this, Two buildings may seem to be exactly alike and yet in one the acoustics may be good and in the other bad. Go on with your church building and trust that all will be well." And all was well. Oh, this mighty law of sound! Oh, this subtle Echo! There is only one being in the universe who thoroughly understands it—"The sounding again of the mountains."

ETERNAL MORAL CONSEQUENCES.

And if it is so hard to destroy a natural Echo, how much harder to stop a moral Echo, a spiritual Echo, an immortal Echo. You know that the Echoes are affected by the surfaces, and the shape of rocks, and the depth of ravines, and the relative position of buildings? And once in heaven God will so arrange the relative position of mansions and temples and thrones that one of the everlasting charms of heaven will be the rolling, bursting, ascending, descending, chanting Echoes. All the songs we ever sang devoutly, all the prayers we have ever uttered earnestly, all the Christian deeds we have ever done will be waiting to spring upon us in Echo.

The scientists tell us that in this world the roar of artillery and the boom of the thunder are so loud, because they are a combination of Echoes—all the hillsides, and the caverns and the walls furnishing a share of the resonance. And never will we understand the full power and music of an Echo until with supernatural faculties able to endure them we hear all the conjoined sounds of heavenly Echoes—harps and trumpets, orchestras and oratorios, hosannahs and hallelujahs, east side of heaven answering to the west side, north side to south side, and all the heights, and all the depths, and all the immensities, and all the eternities joining in Echo upon Echo, Echo in the wake of Echo.

In the future state, whether of rapture or ruin, we will listen for reverberations of earthly things and doings. Voltaire standing amid the shadows will listen, and from the millions whose godlessness and libertinism and debauchery were a consequence of his brilliant blasphemies will come back a weeping, wailing, despairing, agonizing, million-voiced Echo. Paul will, while standing in the light, listen, and from all the circles of the ransomed, and from all the many mansions whom he helped to people, and from all the thrones he helped to occupants, and from all the gates he helped throng with arrivals, and from all the temples he helped fill with worshipers there shall come back to him a glorious, ever accumulating, transporting and triumphant Echo.

Oh, what will the tyrants and oppressors of the earth do with the Echoes? Those who are responsible for the wars of the world will have come back to them all the groans, the shrieks, the cannonades, the bursting shells, the crackle of burning cities and the crash of a nation's homes—Hohenlinden and Salamanca, Wagram and Sedan, Marathon and Thermopylæ, Bunker Hill and Lexington, South Mountain and Gettysburg. Sennacherib listen! Semiramis listen! Marc Antony listen! Artaxerexes listen! Darius listen! Julius Cæsar listen! Alexander and Napoleon listen! But to the righteous will come back the blissful Echoes.

Composers of Gospel Hymns and singers will listen for the return of Antioch and Brattle Street, Ariel and Dundee, Harwell and Woodstock, Mount Pisgah and Coronation, Homeward Bound and Shining Shore, and all the melodies they ever started. Bishop Heber and Charles Wesley and Isaac Watts and Thomas Hastings and Bradbury and Horatius Bonar and Frances Havergal listen!

But you know as well as I do that there are some places where the reverberations seem to meet, and standing there they rush upon you, they rain upon you, all at once they capture your ear. And at the point where all heavenly reverberations meet Christ will stand and listen for the resound of all his sighs and groans and sacrifices and they shall come back in an echo in which shall mingle the acclaim of a redeemed world, and the "Jubilate Deo" of a full heaven. Echo saintly, cherubic, archangelic! Echo of thrones! Echo of palaces! Echo of temples! Omnipotent echo! Everlasting echo! Amen!

Clearance Sale of Furs.

Capes, Dolmans, Boas, Muffs, Victorias, etc., in every variety of Fur, reduced to cost at the City House. *

BEHRING SEA.

Sir George Baden-Powell's Observations on the Question.

Canadian Gazette: Speaking on Tuesday night at a meeting of his constituents in the Kirkdale Division of Liverpool, Sir George Baden-Powell gave an account of his mission to the Behring Sea. He said that Lord Salisbury told him it was a very difficult, complex, and delicate question, that, above all things, he wanted to avoid war with the United States, but that at the same time he wanted to be strong, to show no fear in his policy, but to show that he was not going to yield one jot or tittle of British rights. (Loud cheers.) But Lord Salisbury had an additional purpose in sending him there. Three or four years ago the United States seized some British vessels, imprisoned the captains and crews, and fined them for taking fur seals out of the high seas. This country, of course, promptly denied that these vessels were acting illegally, and last summer and autumn, by their work in the Behring Sea, he thought they had finally brought that awkward dispute, which might have resulted in war, to arbitration, and it was his conviction that this country would win in that arbitration. (Cheers.) He spent three months in the Behring Sea investigating the full facts of the case. He had some difficulty in getting at the full facts of seal life on the United States islands, but he managed to become good friends with the United States representatives, and parted with them affectionately. He thought they acquired, as the result of their exploration, all the facts as to the migration of the seals—facts never before known. To do this they had to go through a great deal of rough work—the weather was cold, and there was usually fog, except in a gale. Lord Salisbury had been good enough to say more than once that what was done in the Behring Sea greatly exceeded his expectations and those of Her Majesty's Government. (Cheers.) The investigations they had made were important, but the friendliness they had established with the United States representatives and the Russians had yet to bear fruit, and Lord Salisbury was now very anxious that he should go back at once to Washington, there to consult with officials of the United States Government, and to come to a joint agreement with them in view of the approaching arbitration. He was to leave on Saturday next, but he hoped to be back after two or three weeks' work in Washington, and to be able to report that the negotiations were as successful as the investigations. He was happy to say that both sides had not only agreed to leave the question to arbitration, but had agreed on the details of the arbitration, and he was convinced that all right-thinking public men, both in the United States and in this country, were delighted to find that this serious bone of contention was to be put out of sight in such a happy and peaceful manner.

New Map of Vancouver Island.

In the course of a few weeks Messrs. M. W. Waitt & Co. will place before the public a thoroughly reliable map of the greater part of Vancouver Island, showing all available information to date. This map has been compiled at great expense, and no pains was spared to procure and place upon the map in its true position each settler's claim and every detail of value resulting from recent explorations and surveys to date.

The work has been carefully drawn upon a large scale, and will be reduced by photography and printed in several lithographic colors. It undoubtedly will fill a long felt want, as the existing information concerning Vancouver Island, with its numerous capabilities and advantages, is, to say the least, very vague and uncertain. *

Wisdom's Violet Cream

Is the most exquisite preparation in the world for softening the hands and face. It is not only a substitute for, but in every respect superior to glycerine, cold cream, vaseline, and like preparations. Try it. D. E. Campbell, agent.

Get prices from Victoria Lithograph Company for lithograph work before placing your orders.

Well Again.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Enquiry last night at the residence of Wm. Rockefeller, the Standard Oil Company, elicited the information that he had almost wholly recovered from his ailment.

Dyspepsia

Intense Suffering for 8 years—Restored to Perfect Health.

Few people have suffered more severely from dyspepsia than Mr. E. A. McMahon, a well known grocer of Staunton, Va. He says: "Before 1878 I was in excellent health, weighing over 200 pounds. In that year an ailment developed into acute dyspepsia, and soon I was reduced to 162 pounds, suffering burning sensations in the stomach, palpitation of the heart, nausea, and indigestion. I could not sleep, lost all heart in my work, had fits of melancholia, and for days at a time I would have welcomed death. I became morose, sullen and irritable, and for eight years life was a burden. I tried many physicians and many remedies. One day a workman employed by me suggested that I take Sarsaparilla, as it had cured his wife of dyspepsia. I did so, and before taking the whole of a bottle I began to feel like a new man. The terrible pains to which I had been subjected, ceased, the palpitation of the heart subsided, my stomach became easier, nausea disappeared, and my entire system began to tone up. With returning strength came activity of mind and body. Before the fifth bottle was taken I had regained my former weight and natural condition. I am today well and I ascribe it to taking Hood's Sarsaparilla."

Intense Suffering 8 Years

N. B. If you decide to take Hood's Sarsaparilla do not be induced to buy any other.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5. Prepared only by C. I. HOOD & CO., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar

AMUSEMENTS.

VICTORIA THEATRE.

MONDAY and TUESDAY

25TH JAN. 26TH

First appearance in four years and Grand Reproduction of

William J. Gilmore's

NEW

Devil's Auction

Under the Management of Charles H. Yale.

EVERYTHING ENTIRELY NEW

Gorgeous Costumes, Magnificent Scenery, Beautiful Transformations, New Tricks, New Specialties, Brilliant Calcium Effects.

SIXTY PEOPLE IN THE COMPANY.

The Largest Spectacular Organization in America.

Incomparable in Magnitude, Dazzling in Splendor, Perfect in Beauty.

The Embodiment of Art, Mirth, Music, Grace and Terpsichore.

The Trans-Atlantique Ballet Troupe. Mlle. Adele Camias, Premier. A Great Company.

GEORGE H. ADAMS,

Louise Dempsey, Victoria Walters, W. H. Bartholomew, Eva Seible, and many others.

THE SPECIALTIES:

The Wonderful Bosbobies,
The Marvelous Lorelias,
The Graceful Teipsticha Family, 8 in Number

Reserved seats on sale at Waitt's Music Store, $1. ja21

THIRD ANNIVERSARY : : BALL : :

Far West Lodge, Knights of Pythias

—AT—

ASSEMBLY HALL, FORT ST.

—ON—

Friday Evening, Feb. 19, 1892

Prof. Emil Pfordner's orchestra will furnish music.

Tickets, admitting gentleman and lady, $3.00.

A limited number of tickets will be issued, and can be procured from the following committee on arrangements:—W. Duck, H. A. Duke, J. P. Byrne, P. J. Hall, H. W. Behnsen, J. M. Hughes, S. Sea, H. Rendell and Thomas Deasy. ja21

IMPERIAL THEATRE.

J. WARD, - MANAGER.

A Strictly First-Class Family Theatre.

BELMOUR-CRAY IMPERIAL STOCK CO

WEEK COMMENCING JAN. 25th.

MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY NIGHTS

The beautiful domestic drama

MAY :: BLOSSOM.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday Nights, and Saturday Matinee,

The great Irish drama

KATHLEEN MAVOURNEEN

Seats 25c, 35c and 50c. Box seats 60c. Seats reserved six days in advance without extra charge at Kerr & Begg's bookstore.

VICTORIA THEATRE.

DRAMATIC ENTERTAINMENT

Benefit of Organ Fund of St. Andrew's, R.C., Cathedral.

JANUARY 28TH, 1892.

Under the auspices of

Young Ladies' Institute No. 33

Assisted by

SECHERS COUNCIL, NO. 85, Y.M.I.

RESERVED SEATS.....75 cts
GENERAL ADMISSION.....50 cts
Reserved seats at M. W. Waitt & Co's. ja14

BURNS' ANNIVERSARY.

St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society

ANNUAL BALL

Will be held in Assembly Hall, Fort St.

MONDAY EVENING, JANUARY 25TH,

Tickets, $3, can be had from any of the members of the committee.

ja12-td J. M. MURDOCH, Secy.

AGRICULTURAL BALL.

THE SAANICH AGRICULTURAL Society will hold its Annual Ball and Supper on Thursday 11th of February. Tickets $2 ladies and gentlemen.

W. ARMSTRONG, Secretary.

Jan5-td

RECEIVED TO-DAY!

Another lot of new

JAPANESE GOODS

At the New Japanese Bazaar,

90 DOUGLAS STREET.

These goods are works of art, and very suitable for Christmas and New Year's presents, and will be sold cheap for cash.

J. M. NAGANO CO.

90 Douglas street, between Johnson and Yates.

VICTORIA, B.C.

COAL

The New Vancouver Coal Mining & Land Co., L'd.

(FORMERLY THE VANCOUVER COAL CO.),

ARE THE LARGEST COAL PRODUCERS ON THE PACIFIC COAST.

THE NANAIMO COAL (Used principally for Gas and Domestic Purposes).

THE SOUTH FIELD COAL (Steam Fuel).

THE NEW WELLINGTON COAL

House and Steam Coal) are mined by this Company only.

THE "NANAIMO" COAL gives a large percentage of Gas, a high Illuminating Power unequalled by any other bituminous Gas Coal the world, and a superior quality of Coke.

THE "SOUTH FIELD" COAL is now used by all the Leading Steamship Lines on the Pacific.

THE "NEW WELLINGTON" COAL, which was introduced early in the present year, has already become a favorite fuel domestic purposes. It is a clean, hard coal, makes a bright and cheerful fire, and its lasting qualities make it the most economical fuel in the market.

The several Mines of the Company are connected with their Wharves at Nanaimo and Departure Bay where ships of the largest tonnage are loaded at all states of the tide. Special dispatch is given to Mail and Ocean steamers.

SAMUEL M. ROBINS, Superintendent.

Dec. 30.

JUST ARRIVED FOR CHRISTMAS.

Handsome line of Fancy Chairs,
Ladies' Cabinets and Writing Desks,
Reed & Rattan Chairs, Bamboo Easels.

Immense assortment of FANCY GOODS to choose from at

THE SEHL-HASTIE-ERSKINE COMPANY,

66 TO 68 GOVERNMENT STREET.

AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

Furniture & Household Goods

W. R. CLARKE, AUCTIONEER.

I am favored with instructions from F. Brendon, Esq., to sell by public auction at his residence, 15 George street, near the Old Hospital, and next to Capt. G. Rudlin, may be reached by Pandora street cars to the corner of Cook street, quite near the house, on

TUESDAY, - THE - 26TH - INSTANT

Sale to commence at 11 a.m., and comprise in the

DRAWING-ROOM — An upright, overstrung, Steinway Piano (a fine instrument), Suite upholstered in Brocade Silk, Brussels Carpet.

PARLOR—Suite upholstered in Raw Silk, Brussels Carpet (the best).

DINING-ROOM—6 Oak Chairs upholstered in Leather, Oak Dining Table, Oak Sideboard, 2 Walnut Centre Tables, 1 Walnut Secretary, Set of Book Shelves, Brussels Carpet (best).

BEDROOMS—1 Heavy Oak Set, 2 Ash Sets, Iron Bedstead, 1 New York Singer Sewing Machine, Brussels Carpet (the best), 3 Wardrobes, 2 Chests of Drawers, Oak Hat Rack, handsome Set of China, Dinner and Dessert Services, Glassware, Crockery, etc.

KITCHEN—A very fine Range, Hall Stove, Bath, Wringer, Door Mats, and a quantity of other goods; a number of fowls.

Attention is called to this sale, everything being comparatively new, having been in use only a few months. The furniture will be on view Monday, the 25th, between 2 and 5 p.m.

Terms—Cash.

W. R. CLARKE, Auctioneer.

ja19-5t

BRITISH COLUMBIA LAND AND INVESTMENT AGENCY (Limited.

THOMAS ALLSOP, HENRY S. MASON, CUYLER A. HOLLAND } DIRECTORS.

HEAD OFFICE
15 Sergeant's Inn, Fleet Street. **London, Eng.**

The business of ALLSOP & MASON has been merged in the above company and will be carried on by the Company as a general Land and Investment and Insurance Agency.

Money to Loan on Mortgage AT LOW RATES.

TOWN LOTS AND FARMING LANDS For Sale on Easy Terms.

CHAPPELL & CO'S

(London, England)

PIANOFORTES

Combine all modern improvements, are unexcelled for beauty of exterior, richness of tone and elasticity of touch.

A stock of choice instruments on hand, at moderate prices.

A.B. GRAY & CO.

WHARF ST., VICTORIA,

Agents for British Columbia.

NEW WELLINGTON

COAL

This Coal, mined by The New Vancouver Coal Company by UNION LABOR only, is supplied by the following Coal Merchants, at current rates:

The Victoria Coal, Wood & Lumber Yard.

Charles Rattray, Janion's Wharf.

Rock Bay Coal Yard.

Central Coal Yard.

"Nanaimo" Coal can be obtain from W. T. Drake.

SAMUEL M. ROBINS, Superintendent

dec30

XMAS HOLLY

Hyacinths (Growing in water or earth).
Fancy Crocus Pots. Ornamental Hyacinth and Crocus Glasses.
Fancy Grass Bouquets.
Cut Flowers.

All Suitable for Xmas or New Year's Presents.

C. A. McTAVISH

FLORIST

9 PARK ROAD, - - - - VICTORIA.

FOR SALE.

ONE POOL TABLE, nearly new (5 ft. x 10 ft) by Brunswick, Balke & Co., with balls, cues and usual fittings complete. Can be seen by applying to the steward at the Victoria Club Fort street. Victoria. au29 tf

CHAS. HAYWARD

(Established 1867)

Funeral Director and Embalmer,

52 Government street, Victoria.

BELYEA & GREGORY, BARRISTERS & SOLICITORS.

OFFICE:

White House Block, Victoria, B. C

P. O. BOX 683.

SNOWFLAKE FLOUR

—::— FOR FAMILY USE, —::—

IS THE BEST.

Ask your Grocer for it. Have no Other.

Manufactured by

ISOM LANNING & CO.

ALBANY OREGON.

NOTICE.

TO CONTRACTORS, BUILDERS AND HOUSE OWNERS

Estimates will be given for

PLUMBING, GASFITTING,

And Sanitary Work of all kinds.

ALSO TINNING AND ROOFING.

Valley Tin and Flushings always on hand. All work guaranteed to be first-class.

JOBBING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO.

The cheapest and best place in the city. Note the name and address:

L. G. BURNS, 101 Johnson St.

ja16-1m

F. W. NOLTE & CO.

OPTICIANS.

SPECTACLES AND EYEGLASSES

Opera, Field and Marine Glasses, and all kind of Optical Instruments.

The Correct Adjustment of Spectacles and Eyeglasses our specialty.

We are not jewelers (simply dealing in glasses) but the ONLY OPTICIANS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

27 FORT ST.

REMOVAL.

C. DUBOIS MASON

BARRISTER AND SOLICITOR,

Has removed to

FIVE SISTERS' BLOCK, ROOMS 9 & 11

ja21-1m

NOTICE.

JAMES ALLISON—Late proprietor of the Caledonian Dye Works, has returned to Victoria and has opened the Paisley Dye Works, 45 View street, where he will be glad to be visited by his old customers. Ladies and Gents clothing cleaned and dyed—Silks and fancy dyeing and steam finishing a specialty. jan5

C. B. LOCKART & CO.,

Funeral Directors and Embalmers.

PARLORS: Corner of Broad street and Trounce Avenue. au23

TO DEPOSITORS

The British Columbia Land & Investment Agency, Ld.

(SUCCESSORS TO ALLSOP & MASON.)

In view of the low rate of interest given by the Dominion Savings Bank Department, and the restrictions imposed as to the amount to be deposited, this Company is now prepared to receive money on deposit, in large or small amounts, at interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and on favorable terms as to notice, etc.

The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.

Dec. 30.

P&M LAND AND P&M HOUSE AGENTS.

MORTGAGES NEGOTIATED.
RENTS COLLECTED.
Conveyancers and Notaries Public for B.C.
Federal Life Assurance Company
British America Fire Assurance Company
Dominion Building and Loan Association

We offer some very desirable houses for sale in every part of the City, on very easy terms.

Two Houses to rent, Spring Ridge, $12 per month.
One House containing six rooms and large store, corner North Road and Spring Street, $12 per month.
One small House and one-half acre land, near Hillside Avenue, $7 per month.
Two Houses, Oak Bay Avenue, $20 per month.
One Lot, Chatham Street, near end of Car Line, $500.
Two Lots, Oak Bay Avenue Tram Line, $600.
One Lot, Hillside Avenue, half block from Fountain, $850.
Three Lots, Douglas Street, Fountain Addition, $175.
One Lot, Oak Street, Bargain.
One Lot, Chestnut Street, Cheap.
Three Lots on Hillside avenue, high and dry location, $300, $650 each.
One Lot, Fourth Street, Work Estate, $750.
Two Lots, Alpha Street, $400 and $450 each.
Two Lots, Belcher Avenue, the two $100.
One Lot, Bellon Avenue, $400.
One Lot, Beaven Street, $1000.
Two Lots, Richmond Avenue, $350 each.
One Lot, Hurlon Street, $375.
One Lot, Michigan Street, $750.
One Lot, Moss Street, $700.
Ten 3-acre Blocks, Carey Road, $200 an acre.

PAGE & MacGREGOR

18--Trounce Avenue--18

OPPOSITE THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE.

CARMICHAEL & PATERSON.

THIRTY DAYS CLEARANCE SALE

OF BOOTS AND SHOES

COMMENCING SATURDAY, JANUARY 16.

To make room for a large spring stock, soon to arrive, we will for the next thirty days give a large reduction on all goods in stock. We have no old or shopworn goods to dispose of. Our stock is fresh and seasonable.

CARMICHAEL & PATERSON

35 JOHNSON STREET.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

Curling tongs and heaters at Fox's.

For cheap tools go to 45 Johnson St.

"The Hill" had its share of visitors at the park yesterday.

Have your shoes repaired at Cavin Bros., Douglas St. tf

Cream breakfast wheat at Watson & Ball's, 55 Yates street.

The Marine Engineers will dance in Harmony Hall next Monday night.

Boots and shoes at greatly reduced prices at Cavin Bros., Douglas St. tf

When suffering from toothache try Gibbons' Toothache gum. Sold by all druggists.

The Electric Lighting Company are connecting with the law court building.

A carload of handsome ladies' desks, cabinets, center tables, etc., just in, at Weiler Bros.

Easy chairs, piano stools, easels, reed and rattan chairs and rockers at Weiler Bros.

The Chinese populace will commence to celebrate their New Year's anniversary on Thursday.

A fine line of 1847 Roger Bros. quadruple plated silver ware, suitable for wedding gifts, at Weiler Bros.

Mr. Geo. D. Clinton, of Union, has been installed as American consular agent for Union and Comox.

Cambridge sausages, beef sausages, pork pies, boiled corn beef and ham, at Whelaw & Co.'s, 125 Fort street.

Westminster Knights of Pythias will entertain their Vancouver brethren on Tuesday evening, the 26th inst.

For your Christmas purchases the Lion Clothing Store, 74 Yates street. Prices to suit all.

Pride of the West Lodge Sons of England gave a very enjoyable concert in Temperance Hall on Saturday evening.

New styles in ladies rubbers at Erskine's boot and shoe emporium, 132 Government street, cor. Johnson street.

Between 400 and 500 people visited the outer dock yesterday to see the launching of one of the pontoons.

Ham, chicken and tongue sausag, and Bologna sausage, at Watson and Ball's, 55 Yates street.

A small fire, caused by a gas jet being left burning in Brown & White's dry goods store, occurred on Saturday night.

Macaulay & Higginbottom, Lion Clothing House, commence their annual Xmas sale to day, Saturday, December 19th.

Local sportsman enjoyed a dog fight on Saturday night, the contestants being from Seattle and Victoria. The latter came out on top.

Hon. Mr. Speaker of the Legislative Assembly to-day took the Hon. the members of the press out to choose the most suitable chairs for the press gallery this session.

The finance committee of the City Council this year are going over every bill with the severest scrutiny, so that "any little extras" that civic creditors may wish to spring, had better be done judiciously.

W. R. Hull, of Hull Bros., Calgary, is in the city. He reports very mild weather, with an occasional prairie fire in the stock-raising district east of the Rockies.

War Preparations.

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—Special orders have been received at the torpedo station to prepare without delay the utmost amount possible of torpedo materials and other explosives and a large force will be busily engaged in their execution this week.

Confederate Veterans.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Jan. 25.—A general convention of the United Confederate Veterans' Association will be held here soon. Six hundred delegates from all parts of the south and north are expected.

Statement by the New York Life Insurance Company.

The report of the Commissioner of Insurance for the State of New York on the management and position of the New York Life Insurance Company has been made public. It was received at 12 o'clock Friday by the officers of the company in New York, and as was intimated in the press dispatch as to the company's condition, will be considered as eminently satisfactory by the trustees and managers as well as by its policy holders. The company is allowed by this report a surplus of $14,708,675, within $190,000 of the amount claimed by the company on January 1, 1891, and in this comparison no account is taken of the amount paid out as dividends between the 1st January and 30th June amounting to over $400,000. Between the 1st January and 30th June the assets have increased as stated in the company's report from $115,947,809 to $120,710,690. Practically the company has earned more than enough in six months to make up more than the suggested reduction from the assets by the insurance department. This finding is very satisfactory, the more so that the criticism of the conduct of the management of the agency department indicates that there has been no undue feeling of kindliness towards the company on the part of the Commissioner. The report will be submitted to the trustees of the New York Life on Monday for such action as they think proper, and a former deliverance on the position may be looked for from them as soon as practicable.

Removed.

The office of the steamer B. Boscowitz and Queen Charlotte Oil Company, removed to 22 Trounce Avenue. Fish oil on hand. J. D. Warren, Agt.

"Miss Sahibas."

In India a lady missionary is called by the native a Miss Sahiba. "Sahib" is the Hindustani word for an English gentleman: Mr. Smith is called "Smith Sahib." It is also used as we use "sir." "Yes, sir," would be "Yes, Sahib." An English married lady is a "Mem Sahib," an an unmarried lady a "Miss Sahiba." This explanation is to introduce a recent remark by a native gentleman who heard that more lady missionaries were coming. "Upon my word," said he, "it is wonderful! These Miss Sahibas come up like the flowers of the field. When it gets hot, they wither away, but they come up again all the same.

The Sawmill Case.

The case of Justice Williams, charged with maliciously destroying a sawmill on Malcolm Island, has been up in the provincial court all day. Mr. Pearson, J.P., was on the bench.

The proclamation calling the Dominion Parliament for February 25th was issued Saturday. A redistribution bill will be introduced during the coming session.

Get prices from Victoria Lithograph Company for lithograph work before placing your orders.

DEATH.

WORKMAN—In this city on January 25th, 1892, Aaron Workman, aged 23 years.

The funeral will leave the family residence 177 Fort street on Wednesday the 27th inst., at 2 p.m., and from Christ Church Cathedral at 2:15 p.m. Friends are invited to attend.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED up to 5 p.m. on Thursday, 28th inst., for the erection and completion of a two story brick building on Fort street.

Plans and specifications can be seen at my office.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

THOMAS HOOPER, Architect.
j25-3t

NOTICE.

The Ontario Mutual Life Assurance Co.

MR. E. E. WELCH has been appointed agent for Victoria and District, for the above Company. Offices—Rooms 10 and 11, Bank of B.C. Building, Government street.

GOODWIN & WILKINSON, Provincial Managers.
ja25-1m

VICTORIA THEATRE COMPANY, LD.

A General Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held on Monday evening next, 1st February, 1892, at 8 o'clock, at the Driard House, Victoria.

JNO. J. AUSTIN, Secretary.

Victoria Theatre office, Jan. 23rd, 1892.
jan25-td

FOR SALE.

SPLENDID

SINGING CANARIES

F. L. TUCKFIELD, 27 Government street, upstairs. JA25-1m

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

"TWA HOURS AT HAME."

BURNS' ANNIVERSARY

Grand Scotch Concert

Under the auspices of the First Presbyterian Church Choir,

—ON—

Wednesday Ev'g, 27th Inst., at 8 p.m.

In the Hall of the Church, Blanchard St.

MR. J. G. BROWN, Conductor.
MRS. A. HALL, Pianist.
W. D. KINNAIRD, Sec'y.

Admission 50c. ja25 3t

VICTORIA THEATRE.

JAS. COLLINS, - - MANAGER.

TWO NIGHTS ONLY

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

29TH JAN. 30TH

GRAND SATURDAY MATINEE AT 2.

Everybody's Favorite, the Little Sunbeam

CHARMING

KATIE PUTNAM

Supported by an excellent company.

FRIDAY EVENING—Her latest comedy success, in four acts, entitled

LOVE FINDS A WAY.

SATURDAY MATINEE—Chas. Dickens'

OLD :: CURIOSITY :: SHOP.

SATURDAY NIGHT—The great comedy

ERMA, THE ELF.

KATIE IN NEW SONGS, DANCES AND BANJO SOLOS.

Seats will be on sale at Jamieson's stationery store, next door to the postoffice, on Tuesday morning. ja25

VICTORIA BUILDING SOCIETY.

THE FOURTH GENERAL ANNUAL meeting of the above society will be held at Sir William Wallace Society rooms, Broad street (opposite View), on Saturday, the 30th January, 1892, at 8 p.m., for the following business: 1. To receive the Secretary's Annual Report and Balance Sheet, and such other business as may be brought before the meeting. 2. Election of officers and Board of Management for present year.

By order,
A. W. G. FLINT, Secretary.

N.B.—A few shares on hand, which can be taken up by applying to the Secretary at his office, 45 Fort street, corner Broad. j25-td

ASSIGNMENT FOR THE BENEFIT OF CREDITORS.

TAKE NOTICE that by indenture made and executed on the 14th day of January, 1892, Isaac Bennan Jessurum and Julius Wormser, both of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, now or lately carrying on business as restaurant keepers at the Turner Block, Victoria aforesaid, under the name of Jessurum & Wormser, have assigned all their property real and personal debts choses in action equitable interests of what nature and kind soever unto Francis G. Richards of Victoria aforesaid real estate agent in trust for the creditors of the said Isaac Benann Jessurum and Julius Wormser.

The said trustee Francis G. Richards executed the deed and accepted the trust on the day hereinbefore mentioned.

Dated the 25th day of January, 1892.

EBERTS & TAYLOR,
30 Langley street, Victoria,
Solicitors for the Trustee.
1t

B. C. MEDICO - ELECTRIC

Institute and Private Hospital,
VICTORIA, B. C.

The newest and most extensive Sanitarium, conducted on rational and scientific principles, on the Pacific Coast.

SPECIAL ADVANTAGES:

Baths of every description.
Electricity in every form.
Massage and Swedish Movements by trained manipulators.
All sorts of Mechanical Appliances.
Artificial Climates created for those needing special conditions.
Thoroughly Aseptic Surgical Wards and Operating Rooms.
All conveniences and comforts of a first-class hotel.
Incurable and offensive patients not received.
Not a "pleasure resort" but an unrivaled place for chronic invalids, who need special conditions and treatment not readily obtainable at home.

For particulars, address

B. C. Medico - Electric Institute and Private Hospital.

CONSULTING PHYSICIANS: Dr. F. W. Hall, Dr. Ernest Hall, Dr. H. D. Leitch.
MANAGER: W. E. Bergman, Medical Electrician.

P. O. Box 757.
76 Yates Street, Victoria, B. C.
janldw

—:NEW:—

JAPANESE GOODS

Just received by last steamer, consisting of all kinds of Silk Goods, Tea Sets, Vases, Trays, Cabinets, Writing Desks, Screens, Chairs, Tables, Toys of all kinds, great variety of Curios, Bronzeware, etc. The finest lot of Japanese Goods in the city.

ROKUBAN CO.

150 GOVERNMENT ST

Tweed Pants,

Made to Order,
$4.00
RUSSELL McDONALD & CO,
124 DOUGLAS STREET.

GREEN, WORLOCK & CO.

—SUCCESSORS TO—

GARESCHÉ, GREEN & CO.

: : : BANKERS : : :

Victoria, B.C.

Mrs. Theophila Turner Green (widow of the late A. A. Green), having purchased the share and interest of Garesche estate in the business of the late firm of Garesche, Green & Co., and being now sole owner of the said business, has admitted Frederick Haumett Worlock (manager of the late firm) as a partner.

The business of the old firm will be continued as heretofore at Government Street, Victoria, under the name of Green, Worlock & Co., Frederick H. Worlock continuing as manager.

JANUARY 21, 1892.

AGENTS FOR WELLS, FARGO & CO.
jan22

SNAP ON DALLAS ROAD

Double Lot 60x240, only $2100, adjoining single lots 60x120 selling at $1750.

A BARGAIN ON RENDELL STREET

Small house and stable, full-sized lot, all fenced, $1000

PEMBROKE STREET

A few lots left on Pembroke street, between Cook and Chambers streets, at $350 to $375.

A. W. MORE & CO.

70 DOUGLAS STREET, VICTORIA, B.C.

1891—A MERRY CHRISTMAS—1891

SANTA CLAUS'

First trip to Victoria on a Bicyle, with Headquarters at

DIXI H. ROSS & CO.

Where he can be seen in the Bonbonniest of windows for a few days, ere he starts on his annual tour.

We are offering a finer stock of goods for Christmas than usual, a larger variety and better quality.

Plum Pudding. Raisins. Currants. Peel.
Mince Meat in wood, glass and compresse.
Bonbons. Comfits. Fondants.
Choice French Confectionery
Wines and Liquors.

DIXI H. ROSS & CO.

FOR SALE

That desirable property,

COMPRISING 30 LOTS

Situate at junction of Government and Douglas streets, between Mr. Finlayson's residence and the Fountain, known as

THE JOE HEYWOOD PROPERTY.

CASH OR EASY TERMS.

HEISTERMAN & CO., 75 GOVERNMENT STREET.

FURNITURE

In Latest Styles.

Upholstery and Drapery work by our artists in that line.

CHENILLE CURTAINS

Window Shades and Cornice Poles in great variety.

WEILER BROS., 51 to 55 Fort St.